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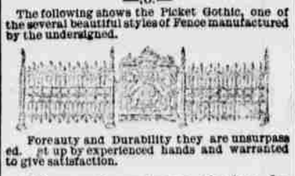

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Some Smuggling Expedients.

What appears as a casual glance to be a block of Carrara marble is really a painted sheet-iron box. It arrived at the frontier in a train from Italy, along with five similar ones. A curious depression upon one of these blocks aroused the suspicion of a douanier, and upon examination the trick was discovered. The boxes were filled with ballast to make them heavy, and at the bottom of each lay $5,000 worth of Venetian lace. A pile of unseasoned, oozing logs of firewood, such as are burned in Paris, were found to be hollow metal tubes, covered with the bark of trees and filled with dutiable liquors. Probably only an officer who possessed long familiarity with the ways of smugglers would suspect a pile of four dozen ordinary soup plates. Here is such a pile. There is nothing in the least suspicious about the top and bottom dozens, but the twenty-four plates in the middle form one deep vessel with two dozen perforating rims and when the knock-kneed arrangement was sewed this vessel was full of contraband brandy. A coffin decorated from Marseilles and bearing a railway label has a curious history. During the epidemic of cholera at Marseilles, two or three years ago, coffins were constantly passing the barriers of that city and the officers respectfully uncovered as another corpse of victim of the pestilence was solemnly wheeled past on a hand-cart. The fear of infection lulled their suspicions perhaps, but when the cholera was stamped out and still the coffins did not diminish in number, it was resolved to pluck out the heart of the mystery. The next coffin that arrived was opened, and was found to be crammed with choice cigars.

Perhaps the most daring scheme for cheating the Parisian city chest, of which the museum contains evidence, was elaborated by a gentleman who was in the habit of driving his elegant victoria every evening past the barrier to the entrance of the Bois de Boulogne. He was always accompanied by a smart groom, who slumbered peacefully upon the box while his master drove. Shortly afterward is — sufficiently long to allow the gentleman to make the regulation "tour du lac"—the carriage would return; and the octroi officials became so accustomed to its passage that they ceased to examine it, and the owner drove back into Paris at a smart trot, courteously returning their salutations with his whip. That smart trot was his undoing. One evening the victoria ran into a heavy wagon and master and groom were thrown out. Monsieur was picked up insensible, while from a deep wound in the head of the groom slowly trickled a stream of champagne. The interesting animal was composed of zinc dexterously fashioned and painted; and he has found a resting place in the smuggler's museum. The carriage was found to contain a zinc "well," which was likewise full of champagne. India rubber dress improvers, arranged to conceal articles of contraband, have often been seized, while not the least curious exhibits is an india rubber baby capable of containing eighteen pints of untaxed liquor.—*St. James Gazette.*

MILICENT'S PUPIL.

At Scalp Level we all had the art fever, and organized a sketching club.

One afternoon we were off to the woods on a kind of æsthetic picnic, or what Jule called a "sketching jamboree." Our party was a large one, but Milicent Lehigh was the only one who had a trick of slipping off alone in quest of beauties.

She was seated alone on a bridge, making a sketch of a prostrate tree that lay at the water's edge.

"There!" she murmured. "That's the prettiest thing I've done this season."

The words had scarcely left her lips, when she started to her feet in alarm.

A cold nose had been thrust into her face, and she confronted a big dog.

Milicent stood for a moment in terror, and her apprehensions were hardly lessened when she saw the owner of the dog emerge from the brush with a gun over his shoulder.

Milicent stood for a moment in terror.

He advanced toward Milicent, who took a backward step with half a mind to run away.

The same instant she glanced around, and was conscious that her hat was gone.

"Oh!" she exclaimed, starting forward again, for she saw it bobbing up and down on the surface of the water.

The owner of the dog saw it, too.

"After it, Czar!" he cried. "Quick, sir! For shame! Don't you know better than to startle a lady so?"

"I am sorry the dog frightened you," he said, lifting his hat. "They don't understand the courtesies."

Milicent made some faint reply as she watched the setter swim out into the middle of the stream after her hat.

"I hope it's not injured," said the stranger, as he restored it to her.

"I think not," Milicent answered.

"I am afraid it will be more thoroughly drenched than it is before you get home," he said. "It is going to rain."

She now saw there was a thunderstorm coming.

"I had not noticed it," she said in dismay.

"Have you far to go?"

"Yes—indeed, I don't know. I have some friends somewhere in the woods."

"That is rather an indefinite location," said the stranger, smiling.

"I left them at the waterfall," Milicent explained, beginning to feel that the man was not positively dangerous.

Big drops splashed on their faces.

"I wouldn't advise you to go back—there, we are going to have a heavy storm, and you had better go at once to the nearest farmhouse. Allow me."

He drew forth his gossamer coat from his game-bag, and threw it around her.

"I don't know the way," she stammered, making a futile effort to decline his protection.

"If you will come with me——" he began, and then Jule came dashing through the brush crying:

"Miss Milicent! Miss Milicent! I've been hunting for you everywhere. Come! It's going to rain, and they have all gone off to the farmehouse."

Then he stopped in astonishment at the sight of the stranger and his dog.

"I have just been advising the young lady to go there," the gentleman said.

"I guess we had better go," Milicent observed, making a motion to lay aside the gossamer.

"Keep it on," said the gentleman. "You will need it, and I am going to walk over to the farmhouse myself."

So they started all three together.

Mrs. Pointdexter and the rest of us were already seated on the piazza when they came hurrying up out of the rain.

Not being a prey to alarm, we could judge dispassionately of the gentleman's appearance, and all of us thought him "sketchable."

"Ask him if he'd mind posing, Mrs. Pointdexter," Mabel Waring said in French, when the stranger had seated himself like the rest of us. "Dear knows how long we may have to stay here; and I'm sure he'd make a fine sketch."

The moment she had spoken she saw the stranger understood French. He turned and said:

"I shall be happy to do so. Shall I stand or sit?"

Mabel was so confused that she could not answer.

"Sit," Jule replied; "if it is not too much of a bore."

"Not at all," he said glancing toward our chaperon. "I could move mountains in the name of Pointdexter."

"You know the name, then?" queried Jule.

"It is the name of my best friend, Anthon Pointdexter, of Boston."

Jule jumped up and grasped the stranger's hand with great cordiality.

"Do you know him?" he cried eagerly.

"As well as myself."

"Mother!" Jule exclaimed turning to Mrs. Pointdexter. "This gentleman is a friend of Anthon's. Are you from Boston, sir?"

The stranger drew out a card and handed it to Jule, and while he was reading the name, "Niel Halleck," and passing it to his mother, the stranger drew forth a letter addressed to himself.

"I had a letter from Anthon this morning," he said, handing it to Jule, who read it with much pleasure.

It proved to be in the warmest terms of friendship, and was so strong an evidence of the stranger's good character, that he was at once received with open arms.

The posing was forgotten in the cosy chat which ensued.

"Are you going to stay at Scalp Level all the summer?" Mrs. Pointdexter asked; and when Mr. Halleck assented, she added: "Then, of course, you must draw a little, or we won't admit you."

"But what if I can't?" he queried.

"Yes—indeed, I don't know. I have some friends somewhere in the woods."

"Miss Lehigh will teach you," Jule hastened to say. "She has had two pictures at the Academy."

Mr. Halleck glanced at Milicent's fair face, which was covered with blushes.

"If Miss Lehigh would undertake my tuition," he said; "I suppose a man can be a hunter and an artist, too?"

"You don't look as though you had a very æsthetic temperament," she said, looking up with a laugh, and then down again as she remembered how he had frightened her at first; "but perhaps I can give you any idea of perspective."

"I'm sure you can give me a great many ideas," he said, taking off his hat with so profound a reverence that every one laughed.

The next morning we started out bright and early, Mr. Halleck with us.

Milicent had a pupil who seemed bent on exacting her full time and attention.

It was four weeks after we had had this addition to our club, and Mr. Halleck was now a familiar friend.

He was one of the brightest, most convivial spirits I ever met; but it seemed quite impossible for him to draw a straight line.

The letter dropped from Milicent's hand.

His trees seemed to be all toppling over, his bridges were bowed, and he had no more perspective in his landscapes than a born Japanese.

"I'm afraid you will never be a Raphael or a Titian, Mr. Halleck," Milicent said one afternoon as she sat looking over some of his recent distortions.

Milicent fluttered the leaves of the sketch book, and glanced ruefully at its contents. As she did so a piece of paper fell out on the grass.

Mr. Halleck reached out his hand for it; but Milicent had picked it up and was looking at it in astonishment.

It contained an exquisite little sketch of herself.

"Did you do it?" she asked.

"Yes—no!" he answered hastily. "Let me see it."

"No, you can't have it! It doesn't belong to you, I am sure. You never could have done it. It is perfect in its way; but it is entirely too flattering. Who painted it, Mr. Halleck?"

"I did," he said, "under an inspiration. You know such things happen occasionally. Give it to me, Milicent; I want both the sketch and the original."

"You can't have it," she said saucily, but looking away to hide what shone in her eyes.

"I must," he said in a low tone. "I cannot live without you. Darling——"

But Jule's voice was heard calling:

"Miss Milicent, Miss Milicent! Here—mother said you were to read this."

He came up with a letter in his hand. Grasping the situation he left as soon as he had executed his commission.

Mr. Halleck was naturally provoked at the interruption to his wooing. He looked away with a vexed expression while Milicent glanced over the letter Mrs. Pointdexter had sent her.

It was signed, "Your son, Anthon," and began:

"MY DEAR MOTHER,—I am delighted to learn that you have met Halleck. He is one of the best fellows I know, and is considered by the Boston Society of Artists one of the rising stars of this country," and so on.

The letter dropped from Milicent's hand.

"You—you deceived us!" she cried in a choking voice. "You allowed me to—to attempt to teach you. Oh, what a fool I've made of myself!"

She burst into tears of vexation, and covered her face with her hands.

"Don't be angry, darling," he whispered, gathering her in his arms. "I did not mean——"

"Let me go!" she cried passionately; "I cannot endure the sight of you."

His face paled for an instant, and he would have released her, but he changed his mind, and drawing her closely to him, he said gravely:

"I love you, Milicent. Tell me that you are not angry with me. I cannot bear your displeasure."

For a few moments Milicent struggled feebly in his arms, but his eloquence quieted her at last.

"Forgive me, darling!" he begged.

"What a silly thing you must think me!" she sobbed.

"I think you're an angel! And as for talent, dearest, you have quite as much as I have. It only needs cultivation."

"To think you were making all those absurdly crooked trees on purpose. It's too ridiculous."

He laughed.

"But you haven't told me," he said. "Will you marry me, Milicent?"

In the Boston papers the following winter there appeared the following:

"Mr. Neil Halleck, artist, was married to Miss Milicent Lehigh, of Pittsburg. The young couple will start on Saturday for Italy, where they will study art together."

"I had a letter from Anthon this morning."

A Very Strong Story.

A German newspaper relates a story of the composer Verdi. Some years ago Verdi was visited by a friend in a small bathing place, where he was found quartered in a little room, which he said, served as a dining, dwelling and bedroom. As the visitor expressed surprise, Verdi broke in, "Oh, I have two other large rooms, but I keep the articles hired by me in them." With this the composer rose from his seat, and showed his astonished visitor ninety-five barrel-organs, remarking, "When I came here all these organs played 'Rigoletto,' 'Trovatore' and similar stuff. I have hired them from the owners. I pay about 1,500 lire, and now I can enjoy my summer rest without being disturbed."

A Dress Made of Thread.

A young lady of Austin, who has much time to spare and who is very skillful with the needle and excels in all fancy crochet work has made a unique dress. The material is common spool thread, white, and the entire dress is hand-crocheted work, beautifully flowered and strongly made, and about 10,000 yards of thread were used in its construction. The sleeves are crocheted in the proper shape, and are fastened in by a lock-crocheted stich. It is a very beautiful dress, and the young lady tells us that it took her three months to complete it. —*Austin Nev. Reveille.*

English General Officers.

The English army does not lack for officers. There are 7 field marshals, 20 generals, 52 lieutenant generals and 130 major generals, in all 209 general officers. The greatest war of this century was carried on by the United States, with only two officers above the grade of major general, viz., 1 general and 1 lieutenant general.

Not Just Now in Session.

City Editor (graspingly and vigorously mopping his face)—"What have you for a local editorial to day?"

Reporter—"An article on 'The Fuel of the Future.'"

Editor—(We have concluded not to publish what the editor said, but will mention, en passant that the reporter was carried off a little later in an ambulance.)

A BOX OF SKULLS.

Heads of Kings and Old-Time Monarchs Gathered Together and Distributed as Mementos.

"Alas, poor Yorick! I knew him, Horatio," soliloquized Deputy Appraiser Hoffman, of Philadelphia, as he stood among the bales and boxes in the Appraiser's store, a time-stained human skull in one hand and his writing-tablet and pencil in the other. This little piece of drama was enacted by Mr. Hoffman as he conducted the examination of some thirty odd cases of curiosities and relics sent home by United States naval officers attached to the South Pacific Squadron.

They came to this port last week by the bark Itonus, from Pisagua, Chili, and were sent to the Appraiser's store for examination. The boxes were consigned to relatives and friends of the officers in Washington, and their contents represented the accumulated collections of extended cruises among the islands of the South Pacific Ocean, with many curious articles gathered on the Peruvian and Chilian coasts.

The Yorick of Mr. Hoffman's fanciful imagination was probably a dusky heathen with a weakness for tender missionaries when well served, and guilty of no more indebtedness to his tailor than was Father Adam. He was evidently old when he passed into spirit land, as the few teeth remaining in his jaw were worn down nearly to their roots. And then his jaw itself was of the kind that might have furnished a formidable weapon for a small-sized Samson. There was a whole box of these cast-off and dried-up heads, but none of them had their business card attached to show where they lived when at home. Some of the skulls were curiously marked by deeply carved lines some parallel and running back from the center of the forehead, while others converged from the temples to the center of the top.

SKULLS OF KINGS.

"Here's Royalty for you," was the comment of the Deputy as he dragged out three skulls strung upon a cord, and he read from a tag: "Skulls of kings of the Easter Islands."

There was a lot of stuff from the Easter and Friendly Islands, but none of the articles partook of the Christian attributes of the names of those far-away islands. There were curiously-carved and formidable-looking war-clubs, made of handsome wood and deeply stained with blood. A bundle of arrows contained some wicked looking specimens about five feet in length, made of slender, hollow reeds and tipped with long points of bone. Some of the arrows had barbed points the teeth finely cut and very sharp. From their looks it appeared as if they might easily be driven by a powerful bow clear through a human body. There were a number of spears, short but heavy and sharp-pointed, and some of them were barbed for two feet of their length. Each barb was made of a single piece and bound upon the shaft with a cord. The weapons were of many kinds but all alike of formidable appearance. One of the most interesting weapons was a Maori mace, from New Zealand. It was pear-shaped, about a foot in length and sharp cut on both edges. It was made of some hard and very fine stone, and its workmanship and proportions were really beautiful.

IMPLEMENTS OF WARFARE.

One of the bundles contained a lot of war-clubs, in shape and size much like cricket-bats. They were made of wood closely resembling mahogany, but much heavier, and were handsomely carved. Other clubs were iron-wood, and were simply carved balls upon handles.

Some of the pieces of South American pottery were of fine workmanship. A flat, circular flask of fine workmanship. A flat, circular flask of fine red clay had for a neck a beautifully carved head of a man with a pointed beard. A curiously shaped lamp from Chimbote, Peru, was of coarse clay molded in the semblance of a duck. One box contained a lot of gourds, which were delicately carved in curious designs. Another package contained a number of whales' teeth, some of them in their natural roughness and others beautifully polished. A small square bale of what appeared to be all oakum was torn apart, and the jaws of a big shark were found within; The jaws were very tight, but strong, and were adorned with six rows of small, triangular and very sharp teeth.

Among the curiosities were several bales of paper blankets. They were evidently of Japanese or Chinese make, and were made of very thick, soft paper, decorated with strange devices in different colors. There was an almost endless number of small trinkets, specimens of minerals, coral and other curios, sufficient to stock a goodly sized museum.

Keep the Eye Shut.

We are told to keep our eyes ever open, but it is often well to keep them shut. One of the chief causes of nervous disease is the straining of the eyes and the constant tension of the mind. When stretched out in the barber's chair do not try to read a newspaper, but close your eyelids under the soothing undulations of the lather brush or the dreamy sensation of the shampoo with the darky's big hands gliding over your pate. In a railway carriage, instead of staring out of your sockets at the landscape that is being torn into shreds before you, fold your arms, bow your head and listen to the whirr of the wheels that make an accompaniment to the wordless song crooning in your heart. Again, in the concert room, in place of surveying the audience critically or watching the beauty of the singer behind the footlights, shut your eyes once more and let the music sink into your soul, rocking it on waves of emotion and wafting in insensibly into the ideal world. In a still higher sense to keep our eyes and mouth shut is one of the wisest lessons of life.

Is this Christian Civilization?

The open-handed generosity with which Western courts distribute divorce papers brought Mrs. Ruth Lehrbaum to grief in Castle Garden recently. She arrived in the country with her 9-year-old daughter in August, and has been on Ward's Island since, waiting to hear from her husband. She was sent for and told that her husband had got a divorce from her. Her grief was pitiable. The couple had parted lovingly three years ago in their native country, and her husband went to Columbus, Ohio. Agent Jaworower of the United Hebrew Charity society has been in communication with the husband. The husband had three of the children with him and offered to take the 9-year-old daughter if her mother could not provide for her. The mother thought a long time before she decided to part with her daughter. She was too poor and forlorn to interfere with the child's welfare. The parting came. A tag was put around the child's neck, telling her destination, she sobbed in her mother's arms, and then she was carried away. The Hebrew society will try to get a place for the mother.—*New York Sun.*

Amazing Grace and Sweet Sounds.

Mr. Warren has found a little boy of two years, perfectly blind, who sings several hymns correctly and very sweetly, converses correctly on subjects suitable to such little fellows, and can say the multiplication table correctly backward and forward. The little fellow can crawl about, and is in many ways very interesting and engaging. He can tell where he was born, where he lives, give his parents' names correctly, answers a prodigious number of questions, and does many other wonderful things. Arrangements have been made to place him before the public. He is still a sucking babe. His mother is a bright mulatto, and regards him as a second Blind Tom. He sang "Amazing Grace How Sweet the Sound," without a single mistake or pause, or any hesitation.—*Texas Correspondence.*

TERRIBLY JEALOUS.

Josephine Archer was angry. She stamped her foot, and her brown eyes snapped fire as she exclaimed:

"Oh, the monster!" that was where the foot came down. "And right in the face and eyes of society. Kate Bixby and Belle Bounderly both saw him gallivanting down the main street with her. Oh! oh, oh!"

"Oh, the monster."

At this point her voice seemed to fail her; but presently she continued:

"Oh, Mr. Henry Gilman, if you don't get a piece of my mind when next you insult me by your presence, then I shall miss my guess. Oh, you black-hearted, abominable, hypocritical, faithless, wicked, wicked man!"

Josephine was a pretty girl and a good girl, eighteen years of age. She was an only child, the pet of father and mother.

Two years previous to this time Henry Gilman, a young lawyer, had selected our thriving town as his field of labors.

He was a man of powerful intellect, a ready and eloquent speaker, truthful honest, and handsome; and was successful.

Henry Gilman had fallen in love with Josephine Archer, and she had fallen in love with him.

When the young lawyer spoke with her parents on the subject of his love they were delighted. They knew how light-hearted and impulsive and effervescent she was, and believed that he possessed the qualities, both of head and heart, necessary to her happiness.

Gilman had told Mr. Archer frankly that he possessed nothing but his profession upon which to depend for a living. His father had died when he was fifteen, leaving enough of property for the support of his mother, and his education.

"On the day that I passed my examination and was admitted to the bar, I ceased to draw from the scanty store my father left, and I promised my mother that while she lived I would not draw another penny; and I only pray that she may live to enjoy the very last farthing of it."

So the lover was accepted by all concerned. But a cloud arose, as we have seen, and a storm was threatened.

More than once Josephine promised her lover that she would never allow the spirit of jealousy to possess her.

And yet she had let the monster in. She was about as jealous as a girl could be, and it was on account of a blooming young widow—the widow Kitty Coryden.

"Kitty Coryden!"

Josephine pronounced the name savagely a hundred times.

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"Josey, what is the matter with you?"

It was the first time Henry had called upon her since she had found cause for jealousy.

"What is it, darling?" he continued, attempting to put his arm around her. But she pushed him indignantly away.

"What is it? Oh, you cruel, wicked man! And you ask me what it is?"

He stood back, and looked upon her in utter bewilderment.

He could not understand it, and he told her so.

"You can't understand it?" she exclaimed.

"Indeed I cannot."

"Then," she said, bestowing upon him a look which she thought would annihilate him, "you had better go—and ask—your pretty—widow—your sweet Kitty Coryden?"

A bomb bursting at his feet could not have startled him more, but it was only for the moment.

Presently his look of consternation gave way to a pitying smile, and he said:

"Poor child, who has been whispering that nonsense in your ear?"

"Oh! it's nonsense, is it? Perhaps there isn't any Kitty Coryden?"

"But there is; and she has called upon me at my office."

"Yes, and you are going to find a house for her, here in our village?"

"I have promised her that I will do so."

"Oh, how coolly you take it!"

"But, my dear Josephine, will you listen to me for just one minute? Let me——"

"No, sir! I will not! I want nothing to do with you. Go to your Kitty! Oh, don't tell me! She's been in your office, how many times? And—and—"

"Well, what more? Let us have the whole charge."

"Oh, didn't you—didn't you only yesterday, when she got out of the coach, didn't you—oh, you false-hearted man!" Her indignation overcame her.

"Didn't I what, Josey?"

"Don't call me Josey! Never dare do it again! Oh, you took your Kitty in your arms——"

"No, no, I deny that *in toto*," broke in Henry, smiling in spite of his effort to the contrary.

"Well, you—you kissed her; so there!"

"My dear Josephine, to that I plead guilty!"

"You—you do!" gasped the girl, confounded by his audacity. She pointed to the door.

"There!—there, sir, is the door! Go!—go! and never—never let me look upon your face again. Not a word. I have heard enough. Go!"

He gazed upon her for a brief space, then with something very much like a smile upon his face, he turned, and left the house, saying to himself:

"Poor child! I will not blame her. If she did not love me truly and well, she would not feel so deeply."

He knew very well who had made the mischief. A certain maiden, who had sought in vain to win his smiles, had seen his fair client alight at the door of his office, and had very likely, seen him kiss her.

Meanwhile an unhappy girl sat alone in the drawing-room of Judge Archer's (he had been Judge of Probate) house.

Could he be false to her? Oh, she would not believe it!

"And yet—yet—that kiss—Kate and Belle saw it. And he acknowledged it, too!"

When her father and her mother entered the room they looked upon her in wonder and alarm.

"Josephine!—my dear child!—what is the meaning of this? What has happened?"

She did not answer him. She only bent her head lower, and sobbed more violently. Then her mother spoke:

"Josephine, this is nothing but a lovers' quarrel, and all on your part, I'll be bound. You've been doing foolishly."

The girl was upon her feet the instant, her hands clenched, her teeth set, and her eyes flashing.

"A lovers' quarrel!" she cried. "On my part! Oh, you don't know—you don't know what the—the wretch has been doing! He is false! false! false!"

"But, my dear child, what has he been doing?"

"He's done enough. I am not his first love—not his true love. She—she has followed him here—his sweet Kitty Coryden, and he hugged her—and—kissed her—on the very sidewalk!"

"His what?—his who?" asked the judge.

"His Kitty Coryden!" snapped she.

The effect of this outburst upon her father was marvelous. He sank down into a chair, and burst into an uproarious fit of laughter, when the door communicating with the front hall was unceremoniously opened, and—

Enter—Henry Gilman, leading by the hand a lady—a mild-eyed, sweet-faced woman, *petite* and plump, a wealth of golden-brown tresses escaping from beneath a jaunty little hat of lace and ostrich feathers.

She looked older than Harry Gilman; but many a match had been made between parties more widely separated by age than apparently were those two.

Henry led the lady forward and presented her to the host and hostess.

"Judge Archer and Mrs. Archer, I have the pleasure of introducing to you my mother! And a mother good and true she has been to me."

The judge had recovered himself upon the entrance of the new comers, and was not at all surprised at the introduction.

Henry presented her.

Henry had spoken with him on the subject of finding a house such as his mother would like to live in, for he had persuaded her to come and make her home near him, if not with him.

Mrs. Archer was surprised, for she had not heard that Henry was expecting his mother's arrival, and the more so upon beholding in that mother a woman so young and so beautiful; but she manifested no surprise in her greeting, which was warm and ardent.

It was for poor Josephine to be dumbfounded. Henry had spoken of his mother, had told how good she had always been to him, how she had paid out from her own store, for his comfort and convenience while in college, far more than she was legally bound to do.

"Josephine," he now said, "this is my own dear mother; and this, mamma, is my own dear Josephine; and I hope you will love her for my sake as well as for your own."

Henry proceeded:

"I think I have never told you my mother's name. You will pardon me, mamma. My father died, as you know, when I was fifteen years of age. Three years later my mother married again—married with Judge Coryden, of Swanport. At the end of a year the judge died. My mother, of course, retains his name, but she seldom speaks of him, and when old friends, who know not of this second marriage, call her by the old name, she never corrects them."

Then he turned to Josephine, and said to her with a merry twinkle in his eyes:

"So, now, my darling, you know my sweet Kitty Coryden, and I think you will not take it further amiss——"

Before he could spe

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NEW YORK SOLID FOR DEMOCRACY

LEEDS SNOWED UNDER IN PHILADELPHIA BY 10,000 MAJORITY.

Hart and Williams, the Republican candidates for Judge of Supreme Court and State Treasurer were elected by a reduced majority, estimated at 25,000. There were both Republican and Democratic gains in some counties and losses in others.

Krumbhaar, Democrat, was elected Sheriff of Philadelphia over Leeds by a majority of 7,000. Dechert was elected City Controller over Maloney by at least 10,000. The Republicans carried the city on the state ticket by about 18,000 majority.

The Democrats carry New York state by 12,000. John R. Fellows was elected District Attorney of New York over DeLancey Nicoll by 25,000 majority.

Foraker was re-elected governor of Ohio by a majority estimated at 40,000.

In Virginia there were local gains for both parties, the Democrats retaining the legislature. About three-fourths of the Senators and nearly two-third's of the House of Delegates will be democratic, thus ensuring the election of a democratic successor to United States Senator Riddleberg.

John F. Connolly was elected assistant law judge of Lackawanna county by the democrats by a majority of 1000. His opponent was Henry Knapp the present incumbent. Joe Scranton, editor of the Scranton *Republican*, heaped so much personal abuse on Connolly that it reacted, and elected him.

IN THE COUNTY.

The democratic majority in the county is about 1300. Stevens, republican is elected commissioner over Conner, independent by about 600.

THE FENCE LAW.

Some years ago in an article then published, I took occasion to inquire, ascertain and determine what was the law in Columbia county, more especially in regard to swine than to other beasts or cattle which had been the subjects of legislative enactment. My conclusions then upon the authorities cited, were as follows:

1. That the repeal of the Act of March 27, 1784, 2 Smith's Laws 96, so far as it related to Northumberland county, by the Act of March 7, 1800, 3 Smith's Laws 417, re-instated the Act of May 10, 1729, 1 Smith's Laws 176, which was a supplement to the Act of 1705, 1 Smith's Laws 70—also the Act for erecting pounds of May 10, 1729, 1 Smith's Laws 173—and also the "Act concerning cattle, horses and sheep trespassing within this province" of March 4, 1763, 1 Smith's Laws 257.

2. These laws being in force in Northumberland county on the 22d day of March 1813 when Columbia county was erected out of part of Northumberland, all those laws were binding upon us, and are yet unless modified or repealed since that time. And therefore the law was that rings and yokes were required for swine in Columbia county, and that fences were regulated by the 6 Sec. of the Act of May 10, 1729, 1 Smith's Laws 173, aforesaid, whereby they "shall be esteemed lawful or sufficient, though they be not close at the bottom, so that the distance from the ground to the bottom thereof, exceed not nine inches, and that they be four feet and a half high and not under." And that the county court is to appoint the viewers of fences, as per Act of 1700, 1 Smith's Laws 13, whenever damages are claimed for trespassing swine either by the land owner, or by the owner of the swine. And these are still the laws and regulations as to swine in Columbia county.

But in relation to other domestic animals, some consideration of the law is now, by reason of late legislation, required.

By the Act of 1700, 1 Smith's Laws 13, it was enacted "That all corn-fields and grounds kept for inclosures, within the said province and counties annexed, shall be well fenced with fence, at least five feet high, of sufficient rail or logs, and close at the bottom;" and if any fence was found not to be so constructed, the owner of the land, driving out such trespassing cattle, should be liable to the owner for all damages done to said cattle by him—But if any horse, kine, sheep, hogs or goats, or any kind of cattle, shall break into any man's inclosure, the fence being of the aforesaid height and sufficiency, and by the view of two persons, for that purpose appointed by the County Court, found and approved to be such, then the owner of such cattle shall be liable to make good all damages to the owner of the inclosure.

This Act of 1700, was modified by that of May 10, 1729, requiring the fence to be only four feet and a half high, and not more than nine inches from the bottom to the ground; and by the Act of March 4, 1763, entitled "An Act concerning cattle, horses and sheep trespassing within this province," it is provided that if any horse, mare, colt, cattle or sheep, shall trespass into any inclosure fenced as required by the Act of May 10, 1729, every person being injured by such trespass, may seize and distrain such animal, and recover and receive such damages as are in the Act provided, the proceedings and practice being also set forth, and to be specifically followed by the land owner.

The law in relation to cattle came up in the Supreme Court in the case of Gregg vs. Gregg 55 Penna. 227. The case was this: The action was trespass *quare clausum fregit*—The Plaintiff had no fence around his field of growing oats, it being open to the public road. The defendant allowed his oxen to run at large, and they entered the oat field where there was no fence, and did damage to the plaintiff's oats to the amount of $5. After discussing the fence law generally, the Court said: "The question here is, whether one who leaves his improved land open and unprotected by any fence against the incursions of wandering cattle of others, can recover compensation for damages caused by the incursions of such cattle, and in determining it, the duty of the land-owner is all important." And the conclusion is, that "unless improved lands are enclosed by a fence the owner is in default and cannot maintain trespass for damages by roving cattle"—"If the land be fenced according to law, the owner of roving cattle shall make good all damage to the owner of the enclosure."

The last Legislature, however, passed an Act to repeal the 6th. Section of the Act of May 10, 1729, requiring fences to be not less than four feet and a half high and not to exceed nine inches from the ground to the bottom.

Where does that repeal leave us? Instead of being without fences now, I am of the opinion that, in regard to the character of our fences we are, in this county, thrown back to the Act of 1700, requiring fences to be "at least five feet high, of sufficient rail or logs and close at the bottom." That it was never repealed by any of those to which I have referred, regulating fences and swine &c. in the different counties, and, being now, one after the other repealed, we are led back to the Act of 1700; which on that subject is now the law of Columbia county.

J. G. F.

WASHINGTON LETTER

From our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 8, 1887.

Among the prominent Democratic members of the House who have arrived at the capital, I may mention the Hon. R. P. Bland, of Missouri, who is often referred to as "Silver Bland," on account of the leading part taken by him in the legislation that authorized the coinage of the "dollar of our daddies," and also because he is on all occasions the steadfast friend and champion of silver. Mr. Bland gives his views as to the probable course of legislation in the Fiftieth Congress. He thinks a compromise tariff bill will pass, and that it will include the repeal of the tobacco tax; he believes that the tariff should be reduced $100,000,000; the free list should be largely increased and there should be a reduction of duties on other imports. He thinks there will be no financial legislation except in so far as tariff legislation affects the finances.

The question of changing the time of the meeting of Congress, is again, as well as the terms of the members, being agitated, and there are numberless advocates in the affirmative, while on the other hand, the dissentients can be counted on one's fingers. I have yet to see a convincing reason why Congress should meet, as it does at present, thirteen months after the election of its members, but on the contrary, there are many grave objections to the system now in vogue, among which I may mention that Congressmen should come fresh from the people; that their successors should not be elected until the incumbents serve out their first term; that the present custom is antagonistic to the progressive spirit of the age. Congress now meets on the first Monday in December, and before that body gets fairly to work, an adjournment for the holidays is in order. Why should not Congressmen, like most other elective officials, begin their duties on the first of the year and be paid per annum.

The theory of States' right has certainly received substantial encouragement from the decision of the United States Supreme Court in the Chicago Anarchist case, and I doubt not, if such a thing be possible, that the spirit of the great Calhoun hovered jubilantly over the historical and eventful scene that in a measure vindicated the constitutionality of his distinctive doctrine of the reserved rights of the States in the Federal compact. But, however that may be, I believe the verdict, on its merits, is generally applauded as just and righteous.

A young newspaper correspondent of this city took advantage of the occasion to send a sham "infernal machine" to Chief Justice Waite—making the impression that it was a scheme of the friends of the Anarchists, for revenge on the Court. The reckless youth made a sensation in the Capital, but the sequel was his confinement in the gloomy cell of the police station until bailed out.

Earlier in the past week, Washington had another sensation in the shape of a cholera scare, caused by two Italian suspects from New York, who, together with their effects, were given a fumigation and permitted to depart. If any more ships supposed to be infected with cholera arrive in New York harbor, the Government will unceremoniously order them back from whence they came,

A Treasury clerk has caused no little perturbation in that department by inventing a new counting machine, which if it works as successfully as the experiment promises, will do the work of six persons better than they can do it. And that is what carries sorrow to the souls of the charming "countesses", a large number of whom are operating the old machine at a compensation of from $1.50 to $2 per day. Nor will the enterprising inventor be benefitted pecuniarily, as he invented the machine while in Government service. So he gets not a cent for his ingenuity.

The air is full of rumors of coming Cabinet changes—whether unfounded or not your correspondent is unable to say—to the effect that upon the transfer of Secretary Lamar to the Supreme Bench, Postmaster General Vilas will occupy the vacancy, while the Wisconsin statesman will be succeeded by Don M. Dickinson, of Michigan. On the other hand, it is said to be the President's purpose to appoint a prominent Union General as Mr. Lamar's successor, and if this be true, I believe his choice will fall upon Gen. John C. Black, Commissioner of Pensions.

Coming Cabinet Changes.

SECRETARY LAMAR'S RETIREMENT—WHAT MAY FOLLOW.

Secretary Lamar has been tendered and has accepted the place on the United States Supreme Bench made vacant by the death of Justice Woods. His successor at the head of the Interior Department has not yet been determined upon. Postmaster General Vilas may be transferred to the Interior Department, although he does not know it yet, according to his own statement, and Don M. Dickinson, of Michigan, may then succeed Vilas as Postmaster General, but he does not know it yet, according to his own statement. The fact seems to be that the President wishes Dickinson in the Cabinet, and will have him if he can, but that Dickinson is not yet ready to give up his big law practice for a Cabinet place. Dickinson who has been talking the matter over with the President and Postmaster General Vilas, with both of whom he is on intimate terms, will seek the advice of his friends before giving the President a definite reply. If Dickinson should decline Postmaster Vilas may remain where he is.

Unless something very unexpected occurs, the seven Anarchists of Chicago will be executed to-day.

Corporation Taxes.

THE REFUSAL TO PAY THEM SERIOUSLY EMBARASSING THE STATE TREASURY.

The refusal of corporations to pay taxes assessed against them by the Auditor General has embarrassed the State Treasury to such an extent as to require the postponement of the payment of the less urgent claims against it. The school warrants, which under recent legislation will take from the Treasury annually $1,500,000, are overdue and will not be honored until the capacity of the general fund is improved. The amount of tax withheld from the Treasury by litigation compelled by corporations is over $1,000,000 covering taxes on loans, gross receipts and capital stock. The defendants number several hundred and the list is steadily increasing. The state is also being hampered by the retention by counties of the moneys collected under the law taxing mortgages and judgments owing to the various interpretations of the act allowing recorders and Prothonotaries compensation for keeping a daily record of these mortgages and judgments.

The Accounting Board of the State recently had a meeting lasting several hours on this subject, without reaching a satisfactory conclusion. The law requiring the transfer quarterly of all moneys in the general fund in excess of $1,000,000 to the sinking fund is also a drawback to the State meeting its current indebtedness. For several years there was required to be diverted to the sinking fund every quarter all in excess of $500,000 paid in the general fund when the Legislature was not in session and $1,000,000 when in session, but the amount authorized to be retained in the general fund was found to be insufficient to meet the demands made upon the treasury and it was increased by further recent legislation.

Murderers Who Must Hang.

THE PARDON BOARD DECIDES AGAINST JOHNSON AND M'CABE.

The Board of Pardons has refused to commute to imprisonment for life the death sentences of Samuel Johnson, who murdered old man Sharpless in Delaware county, and James P. McCabe, who murdered Michael Riley in Wayne county. The case of Johnson has been held over for some months.

In McCabe's case there was argument in behalf of the prisoner by Cornelius Smith, of Scranton, on the 4th, who presented several additional affidavits to show that the condemned man was an habitual drunkard and not at all times sane. District Attorney Monaghan presented a physician's affidavit to the effect that he had examined McCabe on Wednesday night and that he was then healthy and sane.

Both the condemned men will consequently be hanged, McCabe on November 10 and Johnson on November 19, unless the Governor shall further respite them.

A Sight to Feast the Eyes.

From the Coeur d'Alene Sun.

There was a sight in Buckskin Gulch yesterday that would have made the oldest placer miner's heart leap with joy. The surface gravel has been washed off, and the large cut in the jagged bed-rock for over 100 feet was a mass of glittering gold. In places where it had lodged in the crevices it could be picked up by the spoonful. About a pint of nuggets, from $20 to $50 in weight, were picked up in the forenoon by Charles Dudley, and about twenty pounds of gold had already been taken to the bank, which had been scooped out of the potholes. No very large pieces had been found, the largest would probably not go over three ounces. The clean up, which will probably take two or three days yet to make complete, will be by far the largest ever made in the camp. It is estimated to reach fifty pounds, or in the neighborhood of $9,000.

The Biggest Bridge Truss in the World.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Nov. 7.—The first truss of the Poughkeepsie bridge was finished and swung clear to-day. It is 525 feet long between the centres of the towers, 82 feet deep and 35 wide, being the largest and heaviest steel truss in the world. It rests on steel towers 100 feet high, which stand on masonry piers the foundations of which are 125 feet below high water and rise 30 feet above high water, and its total height from the foundations is 337 feet. It carries a floor system on top for a double-track railway and is capable of supporting a rolling load of 3,000 pounds to the running foot on each track.

Jenny Lind Dead.

Jenny Lind (Madame Goldschmidt) died on Wednesday of last week in London. She was 66 years old. She had been seriously ill for several months. She retired from the stage after her marriage in this country in 1856, but appeared at various concerts in aid of charities. She leaves three children, a daughter and two sons, none of whom possess the slightest musical talents. One of her sons is an officer in the English army.

Samuel Johnson who was to have been executed on Thursday at Media, has been respited until February.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Schuyler's Hardware.

COFFEE.

Everybody likes a good cup of coffee but how few there are who get it; not over one-half the coffee brought on the table is fit to drink, and yet you go on and drink it because you can't do any better. Some one perhaps asks you out to dinner and serves a delicious cup of coffee, and you inwardly think how much you would give if you could have such a cup of coffee at home; you feel a little delicacy in asking the housewife how she made it and go home and drink your weak bitter mixture with the best grace you can. And yet properly equipped, good coffee is within the reach of every one. We claim with our "One Minute Coffee Pot" any child 8 years old can make as good a cup of coffee as the most experienced cook, requires no fish skins salt, egg etc. to clear it, it is clear as wine every time and of a rich strong flavor. This is all the space we can give to coffee, the balance to explain we will take pleasure in doing at our store.

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The entire stock of the late D. Lowenberg will be offered at greatly reduced prices, as the complete stock must be sold before the 1st of the New Year.

Remember, the goods are not cheap goods, but fine goods at

COST PRICE.

The stock consists of fine

Ready-Made CLOTHING,

FINE SATIN-LINED

OVERCOATS,

PRINCE ALBERT

SUITS,

YOUTHS', BOYS' & CHILDREN'S

OVERCOATS,

KILT SUITS,

For Little Boys,

Pretty Overcoats Also.

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HATS, CAPS,

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FOR YOURSELVES.

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If you wish our opinion we will recommend goods that will not injure the reputation of this Establishment. All we ask is the public to come and see and judge for themselves.

A full line of Fall and Winter suits made up in

City Style,

Way below the Regular Price.

A FULL LINE OF

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of the best make. Must be sold

AT COST

BY THE ADMINISTRATORS OF

D. LOWENBERG'S Estate.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

By virtue of sundry writs, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, Pa., and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, on the premises, on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19, '87,

at 10 o'clock a. m., all that certain mill property and piece of land, situate in Briarcreek township, Columbia county Pa., and bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone in a public road, in line of land of A. Clayton, thence by the same south forty and one-half degrees west, twenty-one and three-tenths perches to a post, south seventy-nine and one-half degrees west, two and seven-tenths perches to a post, in line of land of Wm Lamon, thence by the same south one degree west, two and three-tenths perches to a black oak, thence by land of Pettie, south eighty-two degrees east, eight and four-tenths perches to a black oak, thence south fifty-two and one-fourth degrees east, five and six-tenths perches to a post, thence south seventy-two and three-fourths degrees east, five and four-tenths perches to a double maple, thence south thirteen and one-half degrees east, two and four-tenths perches to an ash on the bank of creek, thence north forty-eight and one-half degrees east, seventeen perches to a stone in main road, running between mill and dwelling house, thence along said road north thirty-four and three fourths degrees west, eighteen and six-tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing ten acres and nineteen perches of land, strict measure, be the same more or less. In connection with the above the water right for mill is conveyed, &c, a portion of the premises being farm land. There is erected on the premises an excellent water power, suitable for grist mill or manufactory purposes. The property was formerly known as the Traugh mill property, situate about one mile from Berwick, Pa.

Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Nelson Evans and Jonas Crisman and E. M. Crisman, terre tenants.

Lev. Fa. JACKSON, Atty.

ALSO,

At the Cross Keys hotel in Berwick, on the same day, at 2 o'clock p. m., all that certain piece, parcel or lot of ground, situate in the borough of Berwick, county of Columbia and state of Pennsylvania, being in lot number eighty-eight, (88) as marked and numbered in the general plan of M W Jackson's addition to the borough of Berwick, bounded and described as follows, to-wit, Beginning at the northwestwardly side of Sixth street, in said borough, at the corner of lot number eighty-nine, thence along sixth street, a distance of forty-five and a half feet, to line of lot number eighty-seven, thence along lot number eighty-seven, a distance of one hundred and eighty-one and one-half feet to Seventh street, thence along Seventh street, a distance of forty-five and one-half feet to a line of lot number ninety-two, thence by lots numbers ninety-two, ninety-one, ninety and eighty-nine, a distance of one hundred and eighty-one and one-half feet to the place of beginning, whereon are erected a large two story frame dwelling house. Also, a small double frame dwelling house and outbuildings.

ALSO,

The undivided one-half interest of all that certain lot of ground, situate on the westerly side of Tenth street, between Plum and Chestnut streets, in the borough of Berwick, county of Columbia and state of Pennsylvania, it being lot number sixteen, (16) as marked and numbered in Richard Thompson's addition to the borough of Berwick, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning on Tenth street, at a corner of lot number fifteen, thence along said lot one hundred and eighty-one and one-half feet to a one-rod alley, thence along said alley forty-nine and one-half feet to a corner of lot number seventeen, thence along the same one hundred and eighty-one and one-half feet to Tenth street aforesaid, thence along the same forty-nine and one-half feet to the place of beginning, whereon is erected a frame dwelling house.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of Wm. J. Knorr vs. Geo. W. Vannatta, and to be sold as the property of Geo W. Vannatta.

EVANS, Atty'. Al. Fi. Fa.

By virtue of a writ of Levari Facias, issued out the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, on the premises, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1887,

at ten o'clock a. m., all that certain real estate, farm, messuage or tract of land, situate in Fishingcreek township, county of Columbia and state of Pennsylvania: Beginning at a chestnut oak, thence by land of William Robbins north twenty degrees west, two hundred and forty-five perches and seven-tenths to a white oak, thence by land of Thomas Hutchinson south seventy degrees west fifty-six perches to a post, thence by land of Samuel Ash south twenty degrees east, one hundred and three perches and five-tenths to a stone, thence by the same south sixty-four degrees west eight perches and eight-tenths to a stone, thence by the same south twenty degrees east, one hundred and forty perches to a stone, thence by land of John Fowler north seventy-one degrees east, sixty-four perches and eight-tenths to the place of beginning, containing eighty-eight acres and forty-four perches of land and the usual allowances for roads, &c., whereon are erected a two-story frame house, bank barn, hog pen and other outbuildings.

Terms of sale to be as follows: Ten per cent. of the purchase money at the striking down of the property; fifteen per cent on the sixth day of December, 1887, and the remainder to be secured by bond and mortgage, with Scire Facias and insurance clause upon the premises, in which the executor of Samuel Ash shall be the mortgagee, conditioned for the payment of one-half of the remaining purchase money on the first day of June, 1888, and the balance of purchase money on the first of November, 1888, with interest from 7th December, 1887, on each payment.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of Jacob Terwilliger, executor of Samuel Ash, deceased, vs. Elias Ash and Susan Ash, his wife, and to be sold as the property of Elias Ash and Susan Ash, his wife.

WALLER, Atty'.

By virtue of sundry writs, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, Pa., and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1887,

at two o'clock p. m., all the right, title and interest of David T. Jones in the following described real estate, situate in Scott township Columbia county, Penna., bounded on the north by lands of James Shoe and George Hoffman, on the east by land of William Creveling, on the south by lands of Wm. Neal and I. S. Kuhn, and on the west by lands of Jacob Musselman and Mathias Shaffer, containing about twenty-two acres, more or less, whereon are erected a stone dwelling house and outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of Edward W. Ivey vs. David T. Jones, and to be sold as the property of David T. Jones.

KNORR & WINTERSTEEN, Atty's. Vend. Ex.

ALSO,

All that certain messuage or lot of ground, situate in the borough of Centralia, county of Columbia and state of Pennsylvania, bounded as follows: On the north by lot of John Nertney, on the east by an alley, on the south by lot of John P. Hannon, and on the west by Locust avenue, being twelve and one-half feet front, and one hundred and forty feet deep, on which is erected a two-story frame dwelling house and outbuildings.

ALSO,

All that certain messuage or lot of ground, situate in Conyngham township, county of Columbia aforesaid, bounded as follows: On the north by an alley, on the east by lot of Celia and Harry Gerrity, on the south by Centre street, and on the west by lot of Mary Hendrick, said lot being twenty-five feet in front and one hundred and forty feet in depth, on which is erected a two-story frame dwelling house and outbuildings.

ALSO,

All that certain messuage or lot of ground, situate in the borough of Centralia, county and state aforesaid, bounded as follows: On the north by Park street, on the east by lot of Michael Martin, on the south by an alley, and on the west by lot of Cornelius Lenihan, said lot being twenty-five feet front and one hundred and forty feet in depth, on which is erected a two-story frame dwelling house and outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Mrs. Ellen Kane.

MANN, Atty. Fi. Fa.

SAMUEL SMITH, Sheriff.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following account has been filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, and will be presented to the said Court on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1887, and confirmed nisi, and unless exceptions are filed within four days thereafter will be confirmed absolute:

1. The account of Anna Conner, surviving partner of the late firm of E. Peterman.

WM. H. SNYDER, Prothy.

Prothy's office, Nov. 7, 1887.

WIDOW'S APPRAISEMENTS.

The following Widow's Appraisements will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Columbia county on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1887, and confirmed nisi, and unless exceptions are filed within four days thereafter, will be confirmed absolute:

John L. Beishline, estate, Hemlock. Personalty, $296.00.

George Lynn, estate, Montour. Personalty, $300.

John Levan, estate, Roaringcreek. Personalty, $850.

Josiah Rhoads, estate, Locust. Personalty, $500

Mills Chamberlin, estate, Bloomsburg. Personalty, $82.79; realty, $217.21, $300.

Isaac D. Patton, estate, Greenwood. Realty, $300.

WM. H. SNYDER, Clerk of O. C.

Clerk's office, Bloomsburg, Pa., Nov. 7, 1887.

COURT PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, the Hon. WILLIAM ELWELL President Judge of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace and the Court of Common Pleas and Orphans' Court in the 26th Judicial District, composed of the counties of Columbia and Montour, and the Hons. C. G. Murphy and C. H. McHenry, Associate Judges of Columbia county, have issued their precept, bearing date the 5th day of Oct. in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and to me directed for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Court of Common Pleas of said county, a subpœna issued out of the said Court, commanding you, the said Oswell Winner, to be and appear at the next regular term of said Court, to show cause, if any you have, why the said libellant should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony which she has contracted with you, agreeably to the prayer of the petitioner; and, whereas, upon the return of the said subpœna, due proof was made that you could not be found or served with the same in the bailiwick of the sheriff of said county; whereupon an alias subpœna was awarded by said Court, commanding you to be and appear at the then next regular term of said Court, to answer, &c., as aforesaid, to which the same return was made by the sheriff.

You are therefore required to be and appear on the first day of regular term of said Court, to be held at Bloomsburg, for the said county, on the first Monday of December next, A. D. 1887, to answer said complaint aforesaid.

SAMUEL SMITH, Sheriff.

WM. CRISHMAN, Atty.

Sheriff's office, Bloomsburg, Pa., Nov. 4, 1887.

NOTICE IN DIVORCE.

Lydia L. Mears, by her next friend, J. P. Sands, vs. Clarence E. Mears.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, No. 110, MAY TERM, 1887.

To Clarence Mears, respondent above named:

Whereas, upon the petition or libel of the said Lydia L. Mears, above named, a subpœna being awarded by the Court of Common Pleas of said county, a subpœna issued out of the said Court, commanding you, the said Clarence E. Mears, to be and appear at the next regular term of said Court, to show cause, if any you have, why the said libellant should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony which she has contracted with you, agreeably to the prayer of the petitioner; and, whereas, upon the return of the said subpœna, due proof was made that you could not be found or served with the same in the bailiwick of the sheriff of said county; whereupon an alias subpœna was awarded by said Court, commanding you to be and appear at the then next regular term of said Court, to answer, &c., as aforesaid, to which the same return was made by the sheriff.

You are therefore required to be and appear on the first day of regular term of said Court, to be held at Bloomsburg, for the said county, on the first Monday of December next, A. D. 1887, to answer said complaint aforesaid.

SAMUEL SMITH, Sheriff.

WM. CRISHMAN, Atty.

Sheriff's office, Bloomsburg, Pa., Nov. 4, 1887.

NOTICE IN DIVORCE.

Maggie Shellenberger, by her father and next friend, Reese Fairman, vs. Horace N. Shellenberger.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, No. 109, MAY TERM, 1887.

To Horace N. Shellenberger, respondent above named:

Whereas, upon the petition or libel of the said Maggie Shellenberger, above named, a subpœna being awarded by the Court of Common Pleas of said county, a subpœna issued out of the said Court, commanding you, the said Horace N. Shellenberger, to be and appear at the next regular term of said Court, to show cause, if any you have, why the said libellant should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony which she has contracted with you, agreeably to the prayer of the petitioner; and, whereas, upon the return of the said subpœna, due proof was made that you could not be found or served with the same in the bailiwick of the sheriff of said county; whereupon an alias subpœna was awarded by said Court, commanding you to be and appear at the next regular term of said Court, to answer, &c., as aforesaid, to which the same return was made by the sheriff.

You are therefore required to be and appear on the first day of regular term of said Court, to be held at Bloomsburg, for the said county, on the first Monday of December next, A. D. 1887, to answer said complaint aforesaid.

SAMUEL SMITH, Sheriff.

KNORR & WINTERSTEEN, Attys.

Sheriff's office, Bloomsburg, Pa., Nov. 4, 1887.

NOTICE IN DIVORCE.

William Krick vs. Susannah Krick.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, No. 46, MAY TERM, 1887.

To Susannah Krick respondent above named:

Whereas upon the petition or libel of the said William Krick, above named, a subpœna being awarded by the Court of Common Pleas of said county, a subpœna issued out of the said Court, commanding you, the said Susannah Krick, to be and appear at the next regular term of said Court, to show cause if any you have, why the said libellant should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony which she has contracted with you, agreeably to the prayer of the petitioner; and, whereas, upon the return of the said subpœna, due proof was made that you could not be found or served with the same in the bailiwick of the sheriff of said county; whereupon an alias subpœna was awarded by said Court, commanding you to be and appear at the then next regular term of said Court, to answer, &c., as aforesaid, to which the same return was made by the sheriff.

You are therefore required to be and appear on the first day of regular term of said Court, to be held at Bloomsburg, for the said county, on the first Monday of December next, A. D. 1887, to answer the complaint aforesaid.

SAMUEL SMITH, Sheriff.

GEYER, Atty.

Sheriff's office, Bloomsburg, Pa., Nov. 4, 1887.

NOTICE IN DIVORCE.

Charity R. Eveland, by her next friend, John P. Creasy, vs. Stephen A. Eveland.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, No. 48, MAY TERM, 1887.

To Stephen A. Eveland, respondent above named:

Whereas, upon the petition or libel of the said Charity R. Eveland, above named, a subpœna being awarded by the Court of Common Pleas of said county, a subpœna issued out of the said Court, commanding you, the said Stephen A. Eveland, to be and appear at the next regular term of said Court, to show cause, if any you have, why the said libellant should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony which she has contracted with you, agreeably to the prayer of the petitioner; and, whereas, upon the return of the said subpœna, due proof was made that you could not be found or served with the same in the bailiwick of the sheriff of said county; whereupon an alias subpœna was awarded by said Court, commanding you to be and appear at the then next regular term of said Court, to answer, &c., as aforesaid, to which the same return was made by the sheriff.

You are therefore required to be and appear on the first day of regular term of said Court, to be held at Bloomsburg, for the said county, on the first Monday of December next, A. D. 1887, to answer the complaint aforesaid.

SAMUEL SMITH, Sheriff.

FRITZ, Atty.

Sheriff's office, Bloomsburg, Pa., Nov. 4, 1887.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JOHN HEIDLEBERGER, DEC'D.

The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court, to distribute the fund in the hands of Harry W. Beaver, executor of John Reinbold, late of Locust township, will meet at the office of Ikeier & Herring, in Bloomsburg, on Friday, the 2d of December, A. D. 1887, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for the purpose of his appointment, at which time and place all parties interested are requested to attend, or forever be debarred from coming in for a share of said fund.

nov11 ROBT. S. HOWELL, Auditor.

RULE ON HEIRS.

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT OF COLUMBIA COUNTY:

In the matter of the partition and valuation of real estate of George Miller, late of Nescopeck, Luzerne county, Pa.

To Adam Miller, Mifflin township, Columbia county, Pa., William Miller, Wetherly, Carbon county, Pa., John Miller, Nescopeck Luzerne county, Pa., Nathan Miller, Nescopeck Luzerne county, Pa., Caroline, intermarried with Jacob Savison, Wetherly, Carbon county, Pa., Polly, intermarried with John Kishbach, Hazleton, Luzerne county, Penn'a, Sallie A. Wasinecht, Nescopeck, Luzerne county, Pa., Maria, intermarried with Levi Kishbach, Nescopeck, Luzerne county, Pa., and Jacob Miller, Wetherly, Carbon county, Pa.

You and each of you are hereby notified to be and appear before the Judges of the Orphans' Court, to be held at Bloomsburg, on the first Monday of December next, then and there to accept or refuse to take the real estate of said George Miller, deceased, at the appraised valuation put upon it by the inquest, duly awarded by the said Court, and returned by the Sheriff, or show cause why it shall not be sold.

Witness the Hon. William Elwell, President Judge of said Court, this 6th day of October, A. D. 1887.

W. H. SNYDER, Clerk O. C.

Oct14-4t.

RULE ON HEIRS.

ESTATE OF JOHN JACOBY, DEC'D.

COLUMB A COUNTY, ss:

To Joseph Hendershott, husband of Malvina Hendershott, Norman Hendershott, Bloomsburg, Pa.; Lavilla Jane, intermarried with Alfred Jamison, Washington, D.C., Albert F. Hendershott, Washington, D. C.; Annie Hendershott, intermarried with H. W. Sloan, Bloomsburg, Pa.; Maria Sutherland, Akron, Ind.; O. A. Jacoby, Bloomsburg, Pa.; Frank M. Crawford, Philadelphia; Iram D. Crawford, Macon, Georgia; Bradford Crawford, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.; Noah Schull Crawford, Dayton, Ohio; John Crawford, Macon, Georgia; Lulu Crawford, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.; Enos J

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BLOOMSBURG, PA

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1887.

CORRECT RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

BLOOMSBURG & SULLIVAN RAILROAD.

STATIONS.	SOUTH. Arrive. P. M.	SOUTH. Arrive. A. M.	NORTH. Leave. A. M.	NORTH. Leave. P. M.
Bloomsburg	1 55	8 00	8 45	6 40
Main Street	1 44	7 53	8 49	6 42
Irondale	1 41	7 50	9 00	6 45
Paper Mill	1 33	7 40	9 14	6 54
Lightstreet	1 28	7 35	9 22	6 58
Orangeville	1 13	7 23	9 40	7 10
Forks	12 57	7 11	9 58	7 22
Tubbs	12 50	7 06	10 05	7 27
Stillwater	12 43	7 00	10 15	7 33
Benton	12 30	6 50	10 30	7 45
	Leave. P. M.	Leave. A. M.	Arrive. A. M.	Arrive. P. M.

Trains on the P. & R. R. R. leave Rupert as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7:14 a. m.	11:27 a. m.
3:10 p. m.	6:30 p. m.

Trains on the D. L. & W. R. R. leave Bloomsburg as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7:13 a. m.	8:32 a. m.
11:07 a. m.	12:05 p. m.
2:24 p. m.	4:18 p. m.
6:06 p. m.	8:47 p. m.

Trains on the N. & W. B. Railway pass Bloom Ferry as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
10:46 a. m.	11:54 a. m.
6:26 p. m.	4:19 p. m.
SUNDAY.	
NORTH.	SOUTH.
10:16 a m	6:39 p m

NOTICE !

H. V. White & Co. pay one cent per pound for good dry Buckwheat.

SALES.

Nov. 15.—Mrs. Ellen Derr will sell personal property on late premises of Frederick Derr, in Madison township.

Nov. 11.—Isaac A. Dewitt administrator of Isaac D Patton will sell personal property on the premises in Greenwood township.

To close out certain lines of wedding invitations a number of bargains are offered at this office. Those wanting small lots, from 10 to 25, will save money by ordering at the COLUMBIAN office. tf

WANTED.—A good boy to learn blacksmithing. Apply at once.

GEO. MARTIN,
Bloomsburg, Pa.

The price of envelopes has been recently advanced by the manufacturers, but we have in stock 40,000 that will be sold just as low as ever, with your business card printed on the same. Ask for prices. tf.

Buy Lester's Binghamton Kip Boots. Best made.

Notice to Tax Collectors.

An act of the Legislature and approved June 2nd 1881, (See pamphlet laws, page 45) requires tax collectors, township and borough officers to make return of seated and unseated lands upon which no property can be found from which to make taxes to the County Commissioners on or before the first day of January next, with a sufficient description by boundaries or otherwise, of each separate lot or tract and about the quantity of the same. Those who fail to make returns by said day will be held for such loss. Taxes so returned become a lien against the property so returned. We have blanks on which these returns are to be made and will furnish them upon application of collectors.

Oct 28 tf JOHN B. CASEY, Com's Clerk.

The American Farmer Free to All Our Subscribers.

All of our subscribers who will pay their subscription accounts to this paper in full to date, and one year in advance, will be presented with one year's subscription to THE AMERICAN FARMER, a sixteen-page agricultural magazine, published by E. A. K. Hackett, at Fort Wayne, Indiana, and which is rapidly taking rank as one of the leading agricultural publications of the country. It is devoted exclusively to the interests of the Farmer, Stock Breeder, Dairyman, Gardener and their household, and every species of industry connected with that great portion of the people of the world, the Farmer. The subscription price is $1.00 per year. Farmers cannot well get along without it. It puts new ideas into their minds. It teaches them how to farm with profit to themselves. It makes the home happy, the young folks cheerful, the growler contented, the downcast happy, and the demagogue honest. A large number of our subscribers have taken advantage of this offer, and all are well pleased. tf

Notice to Tax Payers.

The taxpayers of Bloomsburg are hereby notified that the dog, State and county taxes must be paid on or before the 23rd day of Dec. 1887, as five per cent will be added after that date, and five per cent. will be added to school tax after January 2nd, 1888. The poor tax is also in my hands for collection and should be paid without further delay. Office at my residence, Iron street.

Bloomsburg Nov. 9th, 1887.

R. STILES, Collector.

Personal.

J. Saltzer was in New York this week.

L. E. Waller Esq. went to Philadelphia on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. K. Bittenbender is visiting friends in Mt. Carmel.

J. G. Swank and brother of Mifflin township were in town Wednesday.

L. S. Wintersteen Esq. took a flying trip to New York and Boston this week.

Leoni Mellick, Esq., of Philadelphia, visited friends in this section last week.

Editor Tubbs of the Shickshinny *Echo* was in town the first of the week, looking as hearty and rosy as usual.

A. J. Derr, Jackson's genial merchant, and Geo. Derr, Jury Commissioner, were in town on Monday.

Mr. A. Barnes and wife, of Wilkesbarre, visited C. H. Campbell Wednesday of this week. Mr. Barnes is at present and has been for the past 14 years the librarian and crier of the courts of Luzerne county.

Deputy Prothonotary Quick spent a couple of days in Jackson township last week. While there he and A. J. Derr went hunting and as a result Matthew brought home five pheasant, seven rabbits and one squirrel.

Amos Pealer, of Bradshaw, Nebraska, is visiting relatives in this county. He went from Fishingcreek township to the west about eight years ago, and this is his first visit to his old home. He will remain in the east until spring.

Gum boots and felt boots at J. W. Yinger's, Rupert. 3w

I. W. McKelvy is repainting the exterior of his store building.

Rail laying on the B. & S. road above Benton was begun Thursday of last week.

Just received, a fine line of oilcloths at J. W. Yinger's, Rupert. By the yard and in patterns. 3w

The most comfortable truss and supporter is the rubber elastic. Consult Dr. J. Schuyler. 2w

Tuesday was an unusually quiet election day in this place.

Everything in the grocery line and underwear at J. W. Yinger's, Rupert. 3w

Invitations are out for the marriage of Mr. Jno. W. Mears and Miss Lizzie M. Moyer, Tuesday, November 22d.

There will be skating at Music Hall this Friday evening. Music will be furnished by Danville band. A good time is expected.

In another column will be found the advertisement of J. F. W. Dorman, of Baltimore, offering outfit for making rubber stamps.

A recital by Mrs. Margaret Custer Calhoun, a sister of Gen. Custer, will be given in the Opera House, Friday evening, November 18th.

The marriage of Mr. Frank B. Eyerly, and Miss Delilah B. Deily, daughter of John Deily, is announced for Thursday, November 17th.

D. W. Andrus & Co., of Williamsport, make their bow to the people of Columbia county, in this issue. See their advertisement elsewhere.

As it was impossible to obtain all the returns through the county before going to press we have omitted the table of the vote until next week.

We give on our fourth page this week a report of the district Sunday school Convention held at Heller's church, Madison township, October 29th.

If there is anything in your line you need, call on J. W. Yinger at Rupert, and he will use you well. Rock bottom prices, "and don't you forget it." 3w

Read the notice of the 60 days' sale of goods at Lowenberg's. There are some great bargains for those who will avail themselves of this opportunity.

A numbering machine has been added to the appliances of this office. Checks, orders, tickets, and all printing requiring it, can be numbered up to 1,000,000.

Last Tuesday was the first time Judge Elwell has not voted at a fall election since he became a voter. His absence in New York state prevented him this time.

An engine house and repair shops is being built by the Bloomsburg and Sullivan Railroad Company. It is located near the Bloomsburg woolen mills, and will be 24 x 120 feet.

William Hart, agent for the Keystone Dynamite Powder Co. has erected an iron building for storing the explosive, back of the Troup farm. Mr. Hart is an active agent, and is taking large orders.

The Bloomsburg and Sullivan Railroad Company placed another engine on the road Monday evening. The engine is named "Capt. Conner." The first trip over the road was made Tuesday.

Attention is called to the advertisement of T. W. Edgar, of Espy, in this issue. He has refitted his planing mill, and is prepared to furnish anything in his line. A specialty is made of all kinds of woods for veneering.

Glasco Cameron went hunting Thursday of last week. Weary, tired and unsuccessful, he returned home. Imagine his surprise, when he was greeted at the door, with the announcement, that a little daughter had been brought to his house.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet in the Lutheran church at 3 o'clock, Saturday afternoon, Nov. 12. This day is set apart as a day of prayer by the National Temperance Union. All ladies are invited to attend, especially ladies who are not yet members.

Wm. Rehm, the foreman in Phillips' Domestic Bakery, has quite an amiable reputation in this section as baker. He has had many years experience and seems to delight in excelling his former record as baker. There is not a branch in the business but that Mr. Rehm has thoroughly mastered it.

Mr. Yinger, lock-tender at Port Noble, was seriously injured by an intoxicated boatman on Saturday night. The boatman was incensed at the delay caused by Yinger's getting out of bed, and when he made his appearance, struck him in the head with a stone. A warrant is out for the boatman's arrest.

Silas Conner, Independent Republican candidate for County Commissioner, had tickets printed in every conceivable shape, and most of them were wrong, the candidate for Associate Judge being printed on the County ticket. It is needless to say that these misprinted tickets were not printed at the COLUMBIAN office.

List of letters remaining in the Post Office at Bloomsburg for week ending Nov. 8, 1887:

H. D. Cornell, Esq., Miss Susie C. Hayman, Mrs. Belle Hase, Mr. D. W. Hendrick.

Persons calling for these letters will please say "advertised."

GEORGE A. CLARK, P. M.

As Mr. John F. Mengle of Orangeville was driving on Tuesday morning to his school at Espy, the running gears of his buggy became detached and he was precipitated to the ground, which resulted in the breaking of his right leg about three inches above the knee. Mr. Mengle has the heart felt sympathy of many friends.

James Bryson Esq. a former resident of this county, died at his home in Phillipsburg last Sunday, suddenly. He was buried at Catawissa on Wednesday. Mr. Bryson was District Attorney of this county one term, being elected in 1871. He resided at Centralia and afterwards moved to Hazleton and thence to Phillipsburg. He was a brother of William Bryson Esq.

A party of young gentlemen gathered by invitation last Monday evening at the home of Mr. C. P. Sloan on Market street, the occasion being the twenty-first birthday of Mr. Frank H. Sloan. A delicious supper was greatly enjoyed by all, and the evening was pleasantly spent in card playing. The guests departed about ten o'clock, all uniting in wishing Frank a long, happy and prosperous life.

The School Furnishing Co. has commenced work at enlarging their buildings, in order to accommodate their growing trade. The additional stock is being rapidly taken, and the indications now point to a speedy approach to the $75,000 capital stock. There is a growing demand for the present style of desks. We hope for a vast enterprise to grow out of this, that will employ several hundred workmen.

Almost a Quarter of a Century.

The following is from one of our subscribers, who went to Michigan with his father when a young man. Many of our readers will at once recognize the subscriber:

CONSTANTINE, Nov. 1, 1887.

ELWELL & BITTENBENDER, *Dear Sirs:*—Enclosed find $1.50 for the COLUMBIAN another year. I came West in October, 1864, and have had the paper regularly every week since and cannot do without it. Yours,

HIR BITTENBENDER.

Murder Among Tramps.

Berwick Independent, Friday, Nov. 4.

Our borough was thrown into a state of excitement last evening by a murder having been committed within its borders. It was a case of tramps, bad whiskey, and fire-arms and with such a combination it is not strange that one person lies this morning cold in death. Wednesday night nine tramps slept at the rolling mill and when they left that part of town yesterday morning they scattered through the town picking up odd pennies and provisions wherever they could. Several of them played the soap game; having bought ordinary soap they cut it in small cakes, wrapped it in paper and sold it as "soap to take out grease spots." On this they realized nearly two dollars. Later in the day they met near the engine house and here was where the fracas took place.

The whole crowd was in such a drunken condition that the stories told by them last night could scarcely be relied on. At about half-past five two of the party came up into town hunting for a Justice of the Peace, and finding 'Squire Jacoby the revolver that did the murderous work was handed over and William McCue gave himself up as the confessed murderer of Thomas Brennan. Constable McHenry was at once sent after the remainder of the party and succeeded shortly afterward in bringing in John Lynott. The testimony of Francis Ganley (one of the tramps from Towanda) was to the effect that the party had met near the engine house and were raising money among themselves to get liquor. The little fellow—Wm. Everhart—had but 20 cents to show for his day's work and some one of the crowd picked up Everhart's soap box and threw it into the canal saying "you're no good." This started a fracas and William McCue drew a revolver to quiet them. Ganley said "Boys, take it away from him; it isn't loaded." The attempt was accordingly made, but McCue opened fire and one of the party—Thomas Brennan of Pottsville—received a shot in the neck, fired at such short range that his clothing was scorched. Brennan dropped in his tracks and probably expired instantly. The others retreated, and McCue claims that he also shot one of the others.

The revolver was a 38-calibre, and contained two cartridges when it was handed over to the 'Squire. McCue's story is that some of the party attempted to commit sodomy on the person of Everhart, and in protecting him from this inhuman act the fracas was brought on and the murder was committed. McCue made no concealment of the part he took in the shooting and exonerated all others from any blame whatever. By the testimony it appeared that the affray took place below the engine house and hence would have been in Columbia county, therefore 'Squire Jacoby committed them to the Columbia county jail; but later in the evening it was found that the case belonged to Luzerne county. 'Squire Evans held the inquest, the jury finding that Thomas Brennan came to his death at the hands of Wm. McCue. 'Squire Jacoby handed over all his papers in the case to 'Squire Evans and the men were then committed to the Luzerne county jail, where they were taken this morning.

The dead man was about twenty-eight or thirty years old, a puddler by trade, and worked awhile in the rolling mill at this place some nine years ago. McCue is about the same age, and is said to belong to a respectable family in Pittston.

Vote in Bloomsburg.

The following is the vote cast in Bloomsburg at the election Tuesday, November 8th.

	E.	W.	Total.
STATE TREASURER.			
Bernard J. McGrann *D.*	209	121	330
Wm. B. Hart, *R.*	139	140	279
Dallas C. Irish, *P.*	5	17	22
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT.			
J. Ross Thompson, *D.*	214	121	335
Henry W. Williams, *R.*	137	142	279
Simeon B. Chase, *P.*	4	17	21
ASSOCIATE JUDGE.			
C. B. McHenry, *D.*	218	131	349
G. A. Buckingham, *R.*	131	132	263
Isaiah Bower, *P*	1		1
PROTHONOTARY.			
Wm. H. Snyder, *D.*	224	134	558
W. M. Monroe, *R,*	131	146	277
C. H. Campbell,	2		2
REGISTER AND RECORDER.			
C. H. Campbell, *D.*	235	153	388
M. G. Hughes, *R.*	123	123	246
G. W. Sterner,		1	1
COUNTY TREASURER.			
G. A. Herring, *D.*	227	130	357
B. D. Freas, *R.*	131	150	280
Ezra Stephens,	2		2
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.			
Wm. G. Girton, *D.*	245	148	393
Jesse Rittenhouse, *D.*	185	111	296
Ezra Stevens, *R.*	159	157	316
Silas Conner, *I.*	24	27	51
COUNTY AUDITORS.			
Amos Hartman, *D.*	221	131	352
E. M. Tewksbury, *D.*	220	131	351
J. B. Yetter, *R*	140	147	287
COUNTY SURVEYOR.			
Samuel Neyhard, *D.*	221	125	346

Recital at the Opera House.

Mrs. Margaret Custer Calhoun will give a recital at the Opera House, Friday evening, November 18th, under the ausdices of the G. A. R. Mrs. Calhoun is a sister of General Custer, and is said to be strikingly like him in appearance. The Seattle *Sunday Star* says:

"The "testimonial" tendered Mrs. Margaret Custer Calhoun last evening was a genuine ovation. The members of the Grand Army demonstrated, by their presence, their loyalty to their comrade, the gallant Custer, and the general public joined heartily in willing recognition of the many graces and talents of the fair recipient of the occasion. Mrs. Calhoun has a splendid stage presence, and in all her selections evinced a thorough knowledge and appreciation of the art of elocution. Her command of emotions is remarkable, and in every appearance she won, if possible, fresh laurels. Into the tender and pathetic as well as the dramatic and humorous, she carried her audience with her."

Let everybody turn out and give her a rousing house. The price of admission will be lower than usual, general admission being 25c. and reserved seats 25c. Reserved seats on sale at Dentler's shoe store.

Prof. Loisette's Memory Discovery.

Prof. Loisette's new system of memory training, taught by correspondence at 237 Fifth Ave., New York, seems to supply a general want. He has had two classes at Yale of 200 each, 350 at Oberlin College, 300 at Norwich, 100 Columbia law students, 400 at Wellesley College, and 400 at University of Penn., &c. Such patronage and the endorsement of such men as Mark Twain, Dr. Buckley, Prof. Wm. R. Harper, of Yale, &c., place the claim of Prof. Loisette upon the highest ground.

Accident in a Theatre.

The stairway leading into Ferguson's Theatre, Shenandoah, gave way Saturday evening and dropped into the cellar, a distance of fifteen feet. There were some thirty persons on the stairs at the time and all were precipitated to the bottom, but none received any serious injury. For a time all was confusion, and it was feared some were fatally injured.

News Items.

Arrangements have been made at Shenandoah for the publication there of a newspaper in Russian.

John L. Sullivan arrived in London last Monday afternoon, and was received with great enthusiasm.

Much valuable property has been destroyed the past week by raging forest fires in Indiana and Illinois.

Six dynamite bombs were found last Sunday in condemned Anarchist Lingg's cell, in the county jail at Chicago.

Cases of yellow fever are still reported at Tampa, Florida, but it is believed to be disappearing and the worst is over.

Several deaths and much illness have been caused at Mt. Carmel during the past few weeks by an epidemic of typhoid fever.

Sylvanius Smith, Eugene Washburn and Lewis Ruger have been held for court at Towanda to answer the charge of counterfeiting.

James Thomas was killed by an explosion of fire-damp in the Nottingham colliery at Plymouth, Thursday morning of last week.

The citizens of Reading are becoming alarmed at the prospect of a coal famine. There are not more than 4000 tons of coal in the city.

A. Corwin, of Farmington, Tioga county, raised an acre of corn that turned out one hundred and fifty bushels of ears and ten tons of fodder.

A despatch from El Paso, Texas, says that the report of rich gold-bearing deposits in the district of Maals, state of Chihuahua, has reached there.

A west-bound freight train ran into the rear of an empty coal train at Swedeland, on the Reading Railroad on Friday night, wrecking and burning a number of cars.

The clothing of George Young Keith, an employe of the asphalt works at Wilkes-Barre, was caught by a revolving shaft Saturday and he received serious injuries.

The body of Jenny Lind was buried at Malvern Saturday. In accordance with her oft-expressed wish the patchwork quilt which the children of the United States presented to her was buried with her remains.

David Snowberger, aged 15 years, residing near Chambersburg, with two companions went out hunting Saturday afternoon. While crawling up an embankment, dragging the gun with the muzzle pointed toward him, it was discharged, blowing the entire top of his head off and causing instant death. The gun contained a remarkably large load.

The Postmaster General has issued an order directing the postmaster at Boston to withold payment of money orders and postal notes sent to the National Card Co., doing business in that city, and to return to the writers letters addressed to that concern. It stated that this order is based upon evidence showing that the concern is a fraud.

A Handy Pocket Atlas.

An attempt to put in pocket size the contents of a large reference Atlas is usually accompanied by rough, inaccurate, and inelegant engraving and printing, but in the New Pocket Atlas of the World, published by Ivison, Blakeman & Co., 753 & 755 Broadway, New York, this is not the fact. Ninety-one Maps, containing nearly every geographical point of interest throughout the world, are given, and each is a gem of the engraver's art. Delicately yet distinctly colored, these maps are exquisite illustrations of the best color printing to-day obtainable. While the maps leave nothing to be desired by way of fullness, they are fully up to date, and show every recent discovery, or change of boundary.

One hundred and twelve pages of terse, well arranged, and accurate information concerning every important country or state on the globe, follow the maps in this compact volume. In fact, the book is not only a comprehensive Atlas, but also a condensed Gazetteer of the whole world, and all put in an attractive and substantial binding, and sold for fifty cents. If not found at your booksellers, on the receipt of this sum the publishers mail it to any address.

A new line of hats and caps at J. W. Yinger's, Rupert. 3w

From App'eton's Guide: "We presume that there are but very few readers of the *Guide* who are unacquainted with POND'S EXTRACT, as regards its extraordinary curative properties. We have used it in our family during the past twenty years, and have realized its wonderful power in relieving pain. It is invaluable for all *Hemorrhages, Cuts, Burns, Bruises, Sore Throat, Catarrh, Rheumatism* and kindred pains. It is purely vegetable, and is used both internally and externally." *Be careful to get a genuine bottle.*

The Reading Color Test.

At last the color test controversy between the Philadelphia and Reading railroad company and its employees is in a fair way toward settlement. The employees' assembly in Reading was in session Monday from 2 until 6 o'clock. B. J. Sharkey, of Philadelphia, chairman of the Color Test Committee, was present, and with apparatus illustrated and explained the modus operandi of the modified test proposed by the company. His explanations and the heated discussion which followed took up the entire time.

The plan was finally adopted by the assembly. It now goes before the general convention of the assemblies of the Reading system at Elizabethport in December. Nearly all the local assemblies have adopted the plan. There are a few which have refused and several have not yet acted upon it.

All sorts of Poison.

Mr. W F. Daley, Advertising Agent of the Brooklyn Elevated Railroad, writes: "Inflammatory rheumatism swelled my legs and arms to twice their natural size. I suffered excruciating pain. Your wonderful S. S. S., made a complete cure.

Major Sidney Herbert, editor of the *Southern Cultivator and Dixie Farmer*, Atlanta, Ga., writes: "I have fully tested the virtues of Swift's Specific, both as a rheumatism cure and a tonic. It has done even more than its proprietors claim for it.

Mr. Michael Long, Jr., with the Stroudbridge Lithographic Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, writes: "I suffered for two years with a terrible itching and painful sores on my neck, arms, hands and fingers. No physician could help me. S. S. S. relieved me perfectly and I feel like a new man.

Mrs. Amanda Ingle, of Gastonia, N. C., writes: "My baby, when four months old, developed scrofula. He had two severe risings and sores on the neck. I sent for our family physician, who pronounced it scrofula, and prescribed S. S. S. for it. I gave the baby S. S. S., and it soon got the disease under control. The sores are healed, and the baby is well and healthy. I know S. S. S. saved its life, and I told our doctor so. He is a regular physician, and prescribed S. S. S. for the baby as soon as he saw it had scrofula.

Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Drawer 3, Atlanta, Ga.

Buy Lester's Binghamton Kip Boots. Best made.

"It's only a question of time," and a short time, too, as to when your rheumatism will yield to Hood's Sarsaparilla. Try it.

Sleeplessness.

Narcotics and sedatives murder sleep; the unnatural stupor is soon followed by ill effects. Simmons Liver Regulator removes the cause of restlessness and sleeplessness by regulating the bowels, by establishing good digestion and by quieting the nerves

"I have been a great sufferer from dyspepsia and loss of sleep. As soon as I feel the least nervous I take a dose of Simmons Liver Regulator and sleep all night."

MRS. R. BRYANT, Griswoldsville, Ga.

DIED.

BEISHLINE.—Died near Cambra on the 31 ultimo, Jacob S. Beishline, age 52 years, 7 months and 3 days.

WANAMAKER'S.

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, Nov. 7, 1887.

Mixed Suitings, with silk enough in them to talk about. But that is not what makes them so roundly worth 37½c. The wool does it. Every fibre in them that isn't silk is wool. They would be handsome stuffs and just as wearable if silk had never been heard of, but they wouldn't be so pretty. The silken specks and flecks light up the face of the fabric like flowers in a May meadow. Eight color effects, a brownish, a greenish, a plumish, and so on; all modestly rich, none glaring. Not the stuffs you look for at 37½c. Only a few days ago they were 50c. One of the unexpected price-slips.

Not the only one, Don't stir a step. Again the flaky raw silk dodging in and out, Coarser threads, looser weave, less sparkle. A plainish, homely, stand-by-you stuff. Last week down from 50 to 37½c.

So was the big and little bright-bar, all-wool Suiting alongside it; and the jostling, soberer stuff checked with gay silk threads.

An arm's-length away the 42 in. oddly pretty Shamrock Suiting; another 37½ center. But we told you of that the other day, and we have been keeping scissors bright on it ever since. Can't do it much longer.

These from 6 feet of an 80-foot counter. Every other 6 feet is burdened with more of these medium-priced stuffs out of which $2.50 or $3 or $4 will pull a handsome, stylish dress pattern for anybody.

Take a peep among the Books. It is the Holiday-Book army that has come in and jammed the shelves and pyramided the tables and narrowed the walking space of the Book section. Your wonder will be where the people will come from to buy so many Books. They will come, just the same, and get these, and tons and tons more that we have stowed away in upper and under space that you don't see.

The books are here in the bravery of gorgeous binding; in the undress of paper, and in all the between covers. Every proper sort of Book for big folks and little folks.

They are cheerful things to look at, but if you really like Books there is no more cheerful thing about them than the pencil marks on an inside cover—the price.

BOOK NEWS is our monthly help to Book buyers. No one can do much of anything else and keep track of the new Books. That is a burden BOOK NEWS picks up. No matter where the Book drops from, BOOK NEWS jumps for the inside of it and tells you so much of what is there that you know whether it is something to be skipped or read. A choice miscellany, too, of special interest to readers, authors, and publishers, and with each issue an author's portrait fit for framing.

November BOOK NEWS (48 pages) has a picture and life sketch of Hon. George H. Boker. 5c, 50c a year.

You can get the best selection of Books for the Holidays by buying now. Our Book Catalogue will aid you, and a postal card will bring it.

The Linen quarter of the Store is very properly the first thought just now with the good housekeepers overhauling the Linen closets. The Autumn compels the filling of the blanket shelves in the Linen closet just the same as the filling of the coal bins.

Cold snaps come in the night. Besides the Blankets and the Sheetings there are the Damasks and all the other Linens. Mr. Irwin is over on the other side, and the boxes that bring the flaxen goodness in are all the time coming through the Custom House.

Here's a glance at some of the Damask prices:

72 in.	White German Damask, 85c.
72 in.	Cream German Damask, 85c.
64 in.	White German Damask, 75c.
66 in.	White Irish Damask, 75c.
66 in.	White Irish Damask, 65c.
64 in.	Loom Damask, 80c.
66 in.	Loom Damask, 90c.
62 in.	Loom Damask, 65c.
70 in.	Loom Damask, 75c.

Very fine and soft finish Double Damask, 90c. It was generous value at $1.25. Double Damask Napkins, $1.50 to $2.50; same, ¾, $2.50 to $3.50.

Huck and Damask Towels just as worthful and more tempting to the casual eye. We have put a lot on a special counter near the foot of the Arcade stairs. Expect there will be much squeezing to get at them, even in that roomy place. $1 to $6 a doz.

How many patterns of Handkerchiefs? It would weary you to count them. Maybe half as many qualities—anything above the mean.

A handful from a houseful—

Embroidered, 15c. from 25c.
Women's Printed, $1 a doz.
Women's White, $1 a doz.
Men's Printed, $1.50 a doz.

We are doing more than usual in Umbrellas. They are coming, coming; going, going all the time. Here is a special lot we have just opened. We stop by it not because there are 937 in it, but because the gold and silver handles and the Windsor silk make the prices absurdly low—

40	24-inch at $2.00, value $3.00
50	24-inch at $3.00, value $4.00
173	24-inch at $3.75, value $5.00
960	26-inch at $5.00, value $6.00
71	26-inch at $6.00, value $9.00
7	26-inch at $7.00, value $10.00
3	28-inch at $3.50, value $4.75
215	28-inch at $4.00, value $6.00
85	28-inch at $5.00, value $7.50
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Guaranteed for a year. You must see them to fully sense their worth. We will engrave name or initials on them free.

JOHN WANAMAKER,
Chestnut, Thirteenth and Market streets, and City-hall square.

LOCAL NOTICES.

New Fur trimmings at

H. W. SLOAN'S

We show some extra good values in table linens, towels and counterpanes. Clark & Son.

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BLOOMSBURG.

Fine Cabinet portraits only $3. doz. Life size Crayons only $10.00. Viewing, copying and enlarging. Instant process used. tf.

You should not fail to see those $1.00 Rhadames silks in black and colors at Clark & Son's. Also full lines of all other dress silks at lowest prices.

Collectors' receipt books and notices for sale at this office. tf.

We show an elegant line of plush coats, wraps and jackets at prices which defy competition. Clark & Son.

New Underwear for Ladies and Gentlemen at H. W. SLOAN'S.

Received direct from importers—first-class barber supplies at Louis Viereck's Shaving and Hair Cutting Saloon, Exchange Hotel, under Clark's book store. Clean towel to every customer. Particular attention given to ladies' and children's hair cutting. sep9tf.

If you want blankets in white, red or grey it will pay you to call at Clark & Son's.

Having just received a cylinder for finishing silks and cloths, I am prepared to clean and dye gents' clothing, ladies' cloaks, sacques, silks, dresses, shawls, &c. Feathers dyed and curled. Packages forwarded by express will receive prompt attention, according to directions. Call or address, J. O. Caswell, dyer, Bloomsburg Woolen Mills. sep24-tf.

New Braid Trimmings at

H. W. SLOAN'S

If you want dress goods of any kind it will well pay you to call and see Clark & Son's stock and prices.

Shipping tags, with or without strings at the COLUMBIAN office.

Ball's Corsets and other good makes, new assortment this week at

H. W. SLOAN'S

You will find big bargains in coats, wraps and jackets at greatly reduced prices at Clark & Son's to close.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Backache, aching sides and kidneys, sore muscles, stitch, crick are removed by the *Hop Plaster.*

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

TO PRESERVE NATURAL FLOWERS.—Dip the flowers in melted paraffine, withdrawing them quickly. The liquid should be only just hot enough to maintain its fluidity and the flowers should be dipped one at a time, held by the stocks and moved about for an instant to get rid of air bubbles. Fresh cut flowers, free from moisture, make excellent specimens in this way. If you would preserve your health and invigorate your entire system use Perrine's Pure Barley Malt Whiskey. For sale by C. B. Robbins, Bloomsburg, Pa. [eow.

WHAT AM I TO DO?—The symptoms of biliousness are unhappily but too well known. They differ in different individuals to some extent. A bilious man is seldom a breakfast eater. Too frequently, alas, he has an excellent appetite for liquids but none for solids of a morning. His tongue will hardly bear inspection at any time; if it is not white and furred, it is rough, at all events.

The digestive system is wholly out of order and diarrhœa or constipation may be a symptom or the two may alternate. There are often hemorrhoids or even loss of blood. There may be giddiness and often headache and acidity or flatulence and tenderness in the stomach. To correct all this if not to effect a cure try Green's August Flower, it costs but a trifle and thousands attest its efficacy.

DRUNKENNESS OR LIQUOR HABIT POSITIVELY CURED BY ADMINISTERING DR. HAINES' GOLDEN SPECIFIC.—It can be given in a cup of coffee or tea without the knowledge of the person taking it; is absolutely harmless and will effect a permanent and speedy cure, whether the patient is a moderate drinker or an alcoholic wreck. Thousands of drunkards have been made temperate men who have taken Golden Specific in their coffee without their knowledge, and to-day believe they quit drinking of their own free will. IT NEVER FAILS. The system once impregnated with the Specific it becomes an utter impossibility for the liquor habit to exist. For full particulars address Golden Specific Co., 185 Race St., Cincinnati, Ohio. dec3 86 1y.

TO THE HOLDERS OF THE BONDS of the Bloomsburg State Normal School, secured by first mortgage, dated September 1, 1868.

Notice is hereby given that the interest on all bonds outstanding up to September 1, 1887, will be paid on presentation of the same to the Treasurer, at his office in Bloomsburg, at any time within 15 days from November 1, 1887. If the bonds are not presented by December 1, 1887, the interest will be defaulted and the fund applied to other purposes.

oct28 H. J. CLARK, Treasurer.

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HOW BEN. BUTLER GOT RICH.

YOUNG MEN OF TO DAY MAY DO LIKEWISE IF THEY FOLLOW ADVICE GIVEN.

General B. F. Butler being asked for some suggestions on gaining success, stated that when he was a young lawyer, practicing in Lowell, Mass., a bank president advised him to take his little deposit and buy real estate, from which he could be deriving some revenue. The general said he had but little money and was uncertain as to his future.

"Never mind," said the bank president, "go to the next public auction of real estate, bid off a lot with a building of some kind on it, pay down what money you have and give your promissory notes for the balance. You will come out all right."

General Butler says this advice was good. When a man has obligated himself, by his notes, to pay money at a certain time, it inclines him to economy. He followed the advice, and in time became the owner of several parcels of of valuable real estate in Lowell.

Two classes will not be likely to heed such advice—the improvident and the over-cautious. The latter will be apt to say: "It would be all right but for those dreadful promissory notes. They are always running on and if a man falls sick they do not wat for him to get well."

There is this danger, of course, but one can make no business venture without some risk, and with the knowledge acquired by recent investigations of the cause of most ordinary ailments, and the means of cure, one runs little risk from that source. It is now known that most of the common ailments have their origin in deranged kidneys. They are the chief blood purifiers of the system and when disordered a breaking down somewhere is inevitable, because the poison, which in their healthy condition is eliminated, is carried through the entire system.

Put them in order, and health returns.

C. D. Dewey, a successful man, president of the Johnston Harvester Company, Batavia, N. Y., gives his experience as follows:

In 1882 my health was failing, my head pained me constantly, my appetite was uncertain, I could not sleep soundly. I attributed this to the extreme pressure of business cares, but I grew worse, and finally was confined to my bed for two months. It seemed as though I would "never recover" my former health. Under the aid of stimulants I gradually gained strength, so that in a few months I was able to attend to business, but I could walk only with the assistance of a cane, and then in a slow and unsteady manner. I continued somewhat in the same condition until February last, when I used Warner's safe cure. It has cured me. I consider it a valuable remedy and can highly recommend it.

Young men have but to use ordinary prudence, and when any derangement occurs it they use the same means as did this successful business man, they may feel a constant assurance of their ability to carry to successful conclusion all ordinary business projects, including the care of their promissory notes when due.

District S. S. Convention.

Sunday school convention held in Heller's church, Madison Twp., Oct. 29. Convention opened with music, "Praise Ye the Lord."

Devotional exercises by Rev. Guldin. Music, "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name."

Rev. Guldin spoke on the topic, "Are festivals objectionable as a means for raising funds for carrying on Sunday school work." He said that festivals were no worse than many other things that were in the Sunday school but he thought it was a very poor way of teaching the young generation to give.

Mr. Suplee thought it was tempting the people to aid in the Sunday school work, and the thoughts that passed through the minds of the boys as they looked on the candies and sweet-meats were perhaps not always what they should be, but it is better to have festivals than to abandon the school for a lack of finance.

Opening p. m. Devotional exercises by Rev. Guldin.

First discussion by President subject: "Picnics". Picnics are not always what is claimed for them and are disastrous to schools who do not hold them. I believe they should be classed as necessary evils. Rev. Guldin enjoys a picnic and thinks a Sunday school should have one annually. Mr. Beagle favors a picnic. Mr. Suplee said, "When I was young we had Sunday school celebrations." There ought to be a good sound address at every picnic and scholars who just come before the picnic and drop off right after should be considered as useless persons to the school.

Opening of question box. This was a new but very interesting feature of the convention. The answers will suggest the questions.

Christmas trees are about the same as picnics.

The scholars should have the questions asked generally, but all should be gotten out of each scholar possible. The questions should be given according to the ability of the pupils.

How can we interest parents in the Sunday school? Rev. Guldin said "that's a sticker." The parents should be at the school every Sunday. They should be insisted to come and have special invitations.

The Sunday school be opened by a scholar if the officers are absent.

Appointment of committee on time, place, &c., for next meeting. Jerseytown, John Phillips; Madison, Mrs. Ella Welliver; Derry, Miss Jennie Sheep; Heller's, Miss Cora Nevius.

Sunday schools should be denominational if they can be, but better have a union Sunday school than not any. Every person should come under the rules of the Sunday school he or she attends.

On the topic of female superintendents. The general sentiment was in favor of a male although a female may be Supt. Election of officers for next year. A. Girton Pres.; D. M. Sheep Sec., Geo. Masteller Treas.

Closing, "Shall we meet beyond the river." Benediction by Rev. Guldin. Everybody seemed to leave the convention feeling a renewed interest in Sunday school work and that the convention was the most interesting of any that has yet been held in this Twp.

The choir of the church had been requested to furnish the music for the occasion. They rendered some very fine selections during the day and acquitted themselves in their usual easy and effective manner.

GEO. MASTELLER, Sec.

"Of all things to which flesh is heir," muttered the butcher, "sausage is the wurst."—*Binghamton Republican.*

The ordinary human being would rather be drowned at sea than toad ashore.

A. T. Stewart's Body.

HOW IT WAS RECOVERED FROM THOSE WHO STOLE IT.

The mystery which has so long enveloped the fate of the body of the millionaire dry goods dealer, Alexander T. Stewart, forms the subject of a chapter in Superintendent George W. Walling's book, "The Recollections of a New York Chief of Police," which is soon to be published. The ex-Superintendent professes to give the only true story of the stealing of the body and also alleges that the body was subsequently returned to representatives of Judge Hilton.

On Wednesday, November 7, 1878, at 7 a. m., Frank Parker, the assistant sexton of St. Mark's Church, at the corner of Second avenue and Tenth street, entered the adjoining graveyard and found that the Stewart tomb had been broken into and the body of its occupant removed. Ex-Judge Henry Hilton and the police authorities were immediately notified and detectives set to work. The vault was in the centre of the yard, east of the church, and seemed, prior to the digging, to have been unmarked and concealed from sight. An iron fence, ten feet high, runs around the graveyard. It was entered by a square hole in the roof, from which descended twelve stone steps to the bottom. This entrance was covered with three or four inches of sod on a level with the surrounding turf, entirely hiding any suggestion of an entrance. It looked at first as if the sexton or his assistant were implicated. This view found an urgent and even bitter supporter in Judge Hilton.

On the morning after the robbery Judge Hilton offered a reward of $25,000 for the return of the body and for information which would convict the parties implicated in the outrage. The inside history of the case from this point is now told by Ex-Superintendent Walling as follows:

THE FIRST CLUE.

James Kealy was captain of detectives at the time. The first clue came from General Patrick H. Jones, ex-Postmaster of New York, who notified Walling that an ex soldier who had served under him claimed to know something about the Stewart body, and with proper encouragement would give information leading to its recovery. The Superintendent submitted the offer to Judge Hilton, who declared he would never pay one cent for Mr. Stewart's bones, unless they came accompanied by the thieves in irons. General Jones was persistent. He showed letters from the thieves and a few days later gave to the police a package expressed to him from Boston containing a coffin plate which was identified by the engraver who had done the work.

To complete their identification the robbers sent a piece of paper that fitted exactly the hole in the velvet cover of the coffin. This is now in the hands of Sexton Hamill, and the coffin plate is at police headquarters. Judge Hilton remained unalterable, and the case was dropped by the authorities. Mrs. Stewart strongly wished to recover the body. Learning this fact the robbers opened correspondence with her directly. In January, 1882, General Jones brought to police headquarters the silver knobs and several of the handles belonging to the coffin. He also showed some letters which purported to have been written in Canada and were signed by "Henry G. Romaine." With the first letter a hundred dollar bill was enclosed as a retainer for him to act as attorney for the return of the body upon the payment of $250,000.

The letter went on to say:

NEGOTIATIONS BEGUN.

The remains were taken before twelve o'clock on the night of the 6th and not at three o'clock on the morning of the 7th of November. They were not taken away in a carriage, but in a grocer's wagon. They were not taken to any house near the graveyard, but to one near One Hundred and Sixtieth street. They were then inclosed in a zinc-lined trunk and left on an early morning train. They went to Plattsburg and from there to the Dominion. There they were buried. Except that the eyes have disappeared, the flesh is as firm and the features as natural as the day of interment, and can, therefore, be instantly identified. The enclosed piece of paper is exactly the size of the piece of velvet taken from the coffin, while the small strip sent you will prove to be of the same piece as that on the coffin. If any additional proofs are required the plate will be sent you upon inserting the following personal in the New York *Herald:* "Canada.—Send P.—Counsel." If you decline to act a friend will call for the retainer sent you. When you are satisfied that the relatives of Mrs. Stewart will talk business insert the following "personal" in the New York *Herald:*

CANADA—WILL DO BUSINESS.—COUNSEL.

Then you will hear from me again.

HENRY G. ROMAINE.

USING THE NEWSPAPERS.

The package with the articles named arrived, and the first personal was inserted. A reply came from Romaine, informing Jones that the package containing coffin plate had been sent by express to avoid the publicity which would follow examination by custom officers. The coffin-plate arrived and the second personal was published. A few days later Mr. Jones wrote to Romaine agreeing to act as counsel and saying that Judge Hilton was anxious to recover the remains. The reply which came from Boston on the 11th of February set forth the terms upon which the body would be restored.

They were as follows: First. The amount to be paid shall be $200,000. Second. The body will be delivered to you yourself and Judge Hilton within twenty-five miles of the city of Montreal and no other person shall be present. Third. The money to be placed in your hands or under your control until Judge Hilton is fully satisfied, when you will deliver it to my representative. Fourth. Both parties to maintain forever an unbroken silence. These are the first, last and only terms which will receive attention.

Having communicated the contents of this letter to Judge Hilton you will await his decision. You will inform me of that by a "personal" in the *Herald:*

CANADA—TERMS ACCEPTED.

HILTON REFUSES THE TERMS.

Judge Hilton refused to agree to the terms proposed and further he declined to negotiate through the medium of "Personals" and informed Romaine. He ordered Mr. Jones to open negotiations with Mrs. Stewart. No notice was taken of this request, but in March Judge Hilton made an offer of $25,000 for the body, but Romaine refused. This closed the correspondence. The robbers becoming discouraged now offered to sell the body for $100,000. Mrs. Stewart was willing and ordered her representatives to pay the amount. They delayed matters until the figure was reduced to $20,000, which was accepted.

The conditions of delivery were severe. The messenger with the money was to leave New York city at 10 p. m., alone, with a one-horse wagon, and drive into Westchester county, along a lonely road which was indicated on a map sent by the thieves. Some time before morning, if the man was acting in good faith and was not accompanied or followed by detectives, he would be met and given further directions. A young relative of Mrs. Stewart undertook the hazardous erraad. It was three o'clock in the morning when a masked horseman rode up, gave the signal agreed on and turned the buggy up a lonely lane. The strange visitor here left him, directing him to drive on. At the end of another mile another wagon blocked the way. He paused. A masked man promptly appeared and brought forward a bag to his buggy, saying:

"Here 'tis; where's the money?"

"Where's the proof of identity?" asked the messenger, as the bag containing the mortal remains of A. T. Stewart was lifted into the buggy.

"Here," said the other, holding up an irregular bit of velvet and opening a bull's-eye lantern. The piece was compared with a bit of paper of the same shape which the New Yorker had brought with him to this lonely spot.

THE $20,000 PAID OVER.

"Come, hurry up," was the command. The messenger obeyed by producing the money and the robbers retired a few feet and counted it by the light of their lantern. Then they moved off to their vehicle and the messenger of Mrs. Stewart drove back the way he had come. The next night a freight car went out to Garden City containing nothing except a trunk and on it sat a man who had spent the previous night in the loneliest part of Westchester county. An empty coffin had already been deposited at the cathedral and at dead of night two men transferred the bones to it from the trunk.

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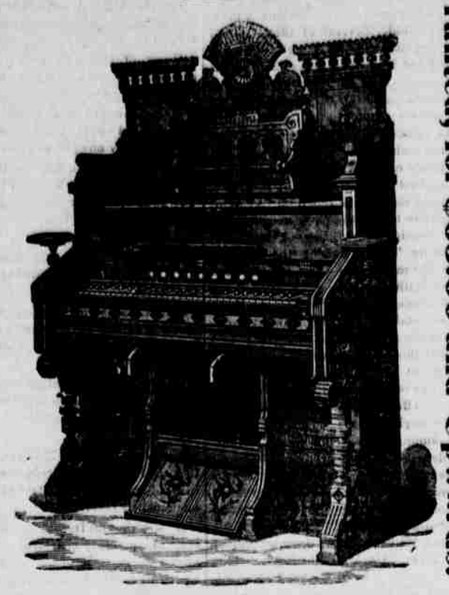

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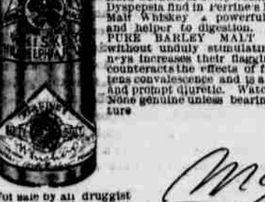

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Chulasky	6 00	....	10 29	6 34
Danville	6 08	1 58	10 36	6 40
Catawissa	6 25	2 14	10 53	6 58
Rupert	6 30	2 19	11 01	7 05
Bloomsburg	6 36	2 24	11 07	7 12
Espy	6 42	2 29	11 13	7 20
Lime Ridge	6 50	....	11 22	7 27
Willow Grove	6 54	....	11 26	7 31
Briarcreek	6 58	....	11 30	7 35
Berwick	7 05	2 48	11 37	7 42
Beach Haven	7 11	2 54	11 44	7 49
Hick's Ferry	7 18	2 59	11 49	7 54
Shickshinny	7 30	3 09	11 58	8 05
Hunlock's	7 43	3 19	12 08	8 17
Nanticoke	7 50	3 26	12 16	8 23
Avondale	7 54	....	12 20	8 28
Plymouth	7 59	3 35	12 25	8 33
Plymouth Junction	8 03	3 39	12 30	8 38
Kingston	8 08	3 43	12 37	8 45
Bennett	8 12	....	12 41	8 49
Maltby	8 17	....	12 45	8 53
Wyoming	8 22	3 52	12 50	8 58
West Pittston	8 27	3 56	12 55	9 03
Pittston	8 33	4 01	1 00	9 09
Lackawanna	8 40	....	1 11	9 17
Taylorville	8 48	....	1 19	9 25
Bellevue	8 54	....	1 25	9 30
SCRANTON	9 00	4 22	1 30	9 35
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STATIONS.	AM	AM	SOUTH. PM	PM
SCRANTON	8 10	9 50	2 05	5 35
Bellevue	8 15	9 55	....	5 39
Taylorville	8 20	10 00	2 14	5 50
Lackawanna	8 28	10 08	2 21	6 37
Pittston	8 36	10 16	2 28	6 45
West Pittston	8 42	10 22	2 34	6 50
Wyoming	8 47	10 27	2 39	6 55
Maltby	8 51	10 30	....	6 59
Bennett	8 55	10 34	2 47	7 04
Kingston	8 58	10 38	2 50	7 07
Plymouth Junction	7 05	10 42	2 54	7 12
Plymouth	7 10	10 47	2 59	7 18
Avondale	7 14	10 51	3 03	7 21
Nanticoke	7 19	10 55	3 06	7 25
Hunlock's	7 26	11 02	3 19	7 48
Shickshinny	7 47	11 12	3 29	7 57
Hick's Ferry	7 58	11 22	3 39	8 07
Beach Haven	8 01	11 28	3 45	8 13
Berwick	8 07	11 37	3 51	8 20
Briarcreek	8 13	....	3 57	8 27
Willow Grove	8 16	11 46	4 01	8 31
Lime Ridge	8 20	11 50	4 05	8 35
Espy	8 26	11 59	4 12	8 41
Bloomsburg	8 32	12 05	4 18	8 47
Rupert	8 37	12 10	4 24	8 52
Catawissa	8 42	12 16	4 30	8 57
Danville	8 57	12 30	4 48	9 13
Chulasky	9 03	....	4 54	9 18
Cameron	9 07	12 40	5 00	9 23
NORTHUMBERLAND	9 22	12 55	5 15	9 45
	A M	P M	P M	P M

Connections at Rupert with Philadelphia & Reading Railroad for Tamaqua, Williamsport, Sunbury, Pottsville, etc. At Northumberland with P. & E. Div. P. R. R. for Harrisburg, Lock Haven, Emporium, Warren, Corry and Erie.

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TIME TABLE.

In effect MAY 29, 1887. Trains leave Sunbury EASTWARD.

3.40 a. m., Sea Shore Express (daily except Sunday), for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 8.15 p. m.; New York, 5.30 p. m.; Baltimore, 5.10 p. m.; Washington, 6.50 p. m., connecting at Philadelphia for all Sea Shore points. Through passenger coach to Philadelphia.

1.43 p. m.—Day express (daily except Sunday), for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6.15 p. m.; New York, 8.35 p. m.; Baltimore, 6.45 p. m.; Washington, 7.45 p. m. Parlor car through to Philadelphia and passenger coaches through to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

7.45 p. m.—Mahoney Accommodation (daily) for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4.30 a. m.; New York 7.10 a. m. Baltimore, 4.55 a. m.; Washington 6.05 a. m. Sleeping car accommodations can be secured at Harrisburg for Philadelphia and New York. On Sundays a through sleeping car will be run on this train from Williamsport. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

9.50 a. m.—Erie Mail (daily except Monday), for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 8.05 a. m.; New York, 11.30 a. m.; Baltimore 9.15 a. m.; Washington, 9.30 a. m. Through Pullman sleeping cars are run on this train to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, and through passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

5.10 a. m.—Erie Mail (daily except Sunday), for Erie and all intermediate stations and Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with through Pullman Palace cars and passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester.

9.55.—News Express (daily except Sunday) for Canandaigua and intermediate stations.

12.52 p. m.—Niagara Express (daily except Sunday) for Kane and intermediate stations and Canandaigua and principal intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parlor car to Williamsport.

3.30 p. m. Fast Line (daily except Sunday) for Renovo and intermediate stations, and Elmira, Watkins and intermediate stations, with through passenger coaches to Renovo and Watkins.

9.30 a. m.—Sunday mail for Renovo and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS FOR SUNBURY FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Sunday mail leaves Philadelphia 1.30 a. m. Harrisburg 7.40 arriving at Sunbury 9.30 a. m. with through Parlor car from Philadelphia and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

News Express leaves Philadelphia 4.00 a. m. Harrisburg, 8.10 a. m. daily except Sunday arriving at Sunbury 9.55 a. m.

Niagara Express leaves Philadelphia, 7.40 a. m.; Baltimore 7.50 a. m. (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury 12.52 p. m. Through Parlor car from Philadelphia and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Fast Line leaves New York 9.00 a. m.; Philadelphia, 11.50 a. m.; Washington, 9.55 a. m.; Baltimore, 10.45 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 3.30 p. m. with through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Erie Mail leaves New York 5.00 p. m.; Philadelphia, 11.25 p. m.; Washington, 10.00 p. m.; Baltimore, 11.30 p. m., (daily except Saturday) arriving at Sunbury 5.10 a. m. with through Pullman sleeping cars from Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia.

SUNBURY, HAZLETON & WILKESBARRE RAILROAD AND NORTH AND WEST BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Daily except Sunday.)

Wilkesbarre Mail leaves Sunbury 9.55 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 10.44 a. m., Wilkes-barre 11.15 p. m.

Wilkes-Barre accom. leaves Sunbury 2.35 p. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 3.21; Wilkes-Barre, 5.00 p. m.

Express East leaves Sunbury 5.35 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 6.24 p. m., Wilkes-barre 7.50 p. m.

Sunbury Mail leaves Wilkesbarre 10.25 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 11.54 a. m., Sunbury 12.45 p. m.

Express West leaves Wilkes-barre 2.50 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 4.10 p. m., Sunbury 5.10p. m.

Catawissa accom. leaves Nescopeck 5.30 p. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 5.30 p. m; Sunbury, 6.35 p. m.

SUNDAY ONLY.

Sunday mail leaves Sunbury 8.35 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 10.14 a. m., Wilkes-Barre 11.45 a. m.

Sunday accommodation leaves Wilkes-Barre 3.10 p. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry, 4.39 p. m., Sunbury, 5.30 p. m.

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